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FEARED A TORNADO

MANY SOUGHT CAVES DURING LAST NIGHT'S STORM.

NO PROPERTY DAMAGE

Farmers Report Seed Washed in Replanted Ground — Rainfall Was 1.58 Inches.

One of the most violent storms of the summer passed over Maryville and Nodaway county last night, but from all reports no property damage was done.

Only one death from lightning, that of Matt Koppen of near Conception Junction, was reported.

About 9 o'clock the storm began and continued with slight interruptions until about 3 o'clock this morning. The lightning flashed almost continuously and a roaring in the north made many persons think that a tornado was on its way to Maryville. So strong was this belief with some families that they sought the depths of their caves to await the coming of the tornado or cyclone.

The Dubinsky Brothers were playing to a crowded tent and had just got well launched into the first act when the lightning began. The audience began to disperse, and in spite of assurances that the tent was water proof a half tent full left in a few minutes. The play was finally called off as the storm grew worse.

The newly planted corn which had been placed in the field by the farmers after the last rains were over, was washed out, a number of men said today.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 87 degrees and the minimum last night was 43 degrees. The rainfall, according to J. R. Brink, weather recorder, was 1.58. A slight hail storm accompanied the rain.

Monday was the hottest day of the summer, the temperature being 93 degrees.

A cloudburst was reported at Cedar Rapids, Ia., but no details of the damage was received.

TORNADO NEAR CHILLICOTHE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chillicothe, June 13.—Twenty-five were reported killed last night in a tornado which swept Mercer and Putnam counties. The wires in this district are down and information is difficult to get.

Unionville, Mo., June 13.—Two persons were killed in a tornado last night near Ravena, which took before it all the barns, sheds and small structures in a path six miles long and more than a mile wide. Definite information in the stricken district is difficult to obtain as all of the wires are down.

U. S. CAVALRY IN BATTLE

Band of Forty Mexicans Crosses the Border and Attacks American Troops—Several Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Ysleta, Tex., June 13.—A battle was fought between a band of forty Mexicans and a patrol of the United States cavalry at Ysleta Ford at midnight last night according to reports to General Bell today. Several Mexicans were reported killed. The Mexicans are reported to have crossed the borders and attacked the troops on the American side. The Americans didn't follow the bandits across the line.

Villa Again in Action.

El Paso June 13.—Villa is again in action, having captured Santa Rosalia. Villa with three columns of well armed troops is now marching upon Chihuahua City, said a dispatch from across the border today.

5,000-TON FREIGHTER SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, June 13.—The 5,000-ton Leyland line freighter, Anglian, has been sunk according to a Liverpool cable. There were no details.

FLAG POLE FOR BAND BOYS

Committee in Charge of Erecting Flag Staff Receive Suggestion Favorably—Location Undecided.

Arrangements are being made to go ahead with the flag pole and Mayor Robey and M. A. Hahn are obtaining prices on good substantial poles. The cost of such a pole will be in the neighborhood of $150.

The suggestion has been made to dedicate the new flag pole in honor of the Fourth Regiment Band and the other boys who will go from Maryville to war. The suggestion has been well received by those in charge of the work. The pole is to be twice as large as the one that was removed. No location as yet has been definitely decided on.

TO IMPROVE THE BAINUM

Hot and Cold Water in More Rooms and Numerous Baths to Be Added.

M. Nusbaum, owner of the Hotel Bainum, announced this morning, that the hotel will be extensively improved within the next few weeks. A hot and cold water system will be put in nine more of the rooms and a number of new baths will be installed. The water will be heated by the city light plant, thus insuring perfect service daily.

Tindall & Smith, who have been awarded the contract will begin on the work at once.

KIDDIES IN RECITAL

Tiny Pupils of Miss Eleanor Smith In Program Tomorrow Afternoon—Public Invited.

The following program will be given tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Conservatory Recital Hall by pupils of Miss Eleanor Smith. Only children between 5 and 10 years of age will play in the recital. All who are interested in childrens' work are cordially invited to attend.

"March of the Soldiers," (Gaynor). Feulah May White.

"Ding Dong Dell," (Gaynor), and "Clatter, Clatter Goes the Mill," (Gaynor), Borden Cox.

"Night and Morning," (Hudson), Winifred Todd.

"To A Daisy," (Erb), Gertrude Arnett.

"Dolly Lost," (Martin), and "Dolly Found," (Martin), Virginia Curfman.

"Twilight," (Hudson), and "Song of the Wildbirds," (Hudson), Virginia Dean.

Duet—"Rock-a-Bye Baby," (Martin) Leola Miller and Lucile Snyder.

"Water Fairies' Boat Song," (Neidlinger), Mary Jane Bellows.

"March of the Scouts," (Sharpe), Mary Todd.

"Up in the Swing," (Rogers), Lucile Snyder.

"Three Little Chickens," (Grant-Schaefer), Leola Miller.

"Fairy Dance," (Virgil), Dorothy Allen.

"The Clock Tells A Story," (Virgil), Mayme Grems.

"Distant Chimes, (Virgil), Eva Margaret Frank.

"May Dance," (Virgil), George Miles.

BURLINGTON RATES UP, TOO

Both Maryville Railroads Here Will Make 15 Per Cent Increase After July 1.

Not only the Wabash but also the Burlington will increase rates 15 per cent after July 1. Two traveling freight agents, J. R. McKillip of the Burlington and L. E. Mercer of the Wabash spent yesterday afternoon calling on the merchants of the city in regard to the increase which is to be made in the rates. Their chief argument for the increase is that the rate now asked is insufficient for present necessities and that they must raise their rates in order to continue business.

The two men were accompanied around the city by W. E. Goforth, agent for the Burlington and Ed Ferritor, agent for the Wabash.

Miss Anna Brown of Jefferson City, is the guest of her sister, Miss Lena Brown, stenographer for Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison.

ARRESTS DECREASE

POLICE RECORDS SHOW IMPROVEMENT SINCE SALOONS WENT OUT.

DRUNKENNESS LESSENS

Shows 85 Per Cent Decline While General Misdemeanors Decrease 62 Per cent—What Citizens Say.

A comparison of the police records for the last year in Maryville with saloons and the first year without saloons shows that a saloonless Maryville has decreased arrests for drunkenness 85 per cent and has decreased arrest in general 62 per cent. The following figures were taken from the record from June 10, 1915 to June 10, 1916, the last year of saloons in Maryville and from the record of June 10, 1916 to June 10, 1917, the first year without saloons in Maryville. The saloonless year closed last Sunday.

With Saloons, 254 Arrests.

During the last year with saloons, there were 254 arrests. Of these 134 were for drunkenness, 22 for disturbing the peace, 4 for adultery, 4 for assault, 1 for using the cut-out, 3 for resisting officers, 7 for affray, 3 for giving liquor to drunkards, 10 for vagrancy, 2 for drinking liquor in public places, 4 for exceeding the speed limit, 13 for street walking, 4 for prostitution, 2 for distributing goods by lottery, 2 for lounging in public places, 30 for gaming, 1 for passing hand bills, 1 for giving liquor away, 2 for giving liquor away to minors, 1 for excavating in streets without license, 1 for injuring city property, 1 for allowing animals to run at large in the streets, and 1 for peddling.

Without Them, 97 Arrests.

During the year just past without saloons in Maryville only 97 arrests were made. Of these 22 were for drunkenness, 22 were for disturbing the peace, 6 were for prostitution, 1 for gaming, 1 for peddling, 2 for excavating in streets, 4 for not using tail lights on cars, 3 for lounging, 3 for fortune telling, 13 for exceeding the speed limit, 4 for street walking, 1 for affray, 2 for assault, 4 for driving over the fire hose, 1 for connecting sewer without permission, 4 for running car without jitney license, 2 for allowing animals to run at large, 1 for picketing a cow and 1 for using iron pipe instead of lead.

Converted to Prohibition.

Merchants in Maryville almost unanimously favor a saloonless Maryville. E. L. Townsend when asked his opinion on the past saloonless year said:

"I was what you might call, a high license man at the time saloons were voted out of Maryville. I believed that as long as Kansas City and St. Joseph sold liquor, we should be allowed to sell it also. I have completely changed my mind. I am converted to the principles of local option and also of national prohibition. I think that prohibition cannot come quick enough.

"I know that people are now trading at my store who did not have the money to spend when the saloons were in business. I notice this especially in my Saturday night trade. I would not have the saloons in Maryville again for anything."

The Mayor's Statement.

Mayor Robey says that the revenue deficit which has been caused by the lack of the high saloon licenses will be made up as time goes on.

"I am well pleased with local option," he said, "and I think that the number of arrests for this year will be less than they were the first year without saloons.

"Most of the liquor which caused the arrests for drunkenness was procured from other points in the state. Many of the cases were caused by the drinking of Bitters and other alcoholic patent medicines. When we curb the Bitters trade, the arrests will decrease greatly."

TRY TO SAVE LENS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 13.—The Germans are making a desperate effort to save the city of Lens. Strong counter attacks delivered last night against the new British lines on both sides of Souches in the Lens sector have been repulsed.

COAST GUARD CUTTER SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Los Angeles, June 13.—The coast guard cutter, McCollouch, was sunk, when it rammed into the steamship, Governor, near the Anacapa Island today. One sailor was fatally hurt.

HARMONY PROGRAM

WILL ENTERTAIN 2,000 PERSONS AT ANNUAL HOME-COMING.

SPEECHES ON PATRIOTISM

Dr. W. H. Betz of Iowa, Dr. S. A. Coile and Ewing Herbert of St. Joseph Are the Speakers.

Preparations are being made by Harmony to entertain about 2,000 persons at its eighth annual home-coming next Sunday. Invitations have been sent to friends of the community throughout the county and all the pastors of churches in Maryville and the surrounding towns have been asked to attend.

The morning program will begin with Sunday School, which will be conducted at 9:45 o'clock by O. R. Saunders, superintendent. At 11 o'clock church will be held and the sermon will be preached by Dr. W. H. Betz of New London, Ia. Doctor Betz, who is president of the Iowa and Missouri Conference of M. P. churches, is an excellent speaker and his sermon will be one of merit.

At 12 o'clock the big basket dinner will be held, and the committee requests families not to forget their baskets, because of the great numbers that will attend as guests on that day.

After the dinner, a few moments will be allotted to the old settlers for remarks and speeches and then a patriotic program will be given. Three speakers will discuss the various ways of aiding our country in war times, Dr. S. A. Coile, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Maryville, Emmett Bishop of Ravenwood and Ewing Herbert of St. Joseph, editor of the Stock Yards Daily Journal, are on the program.

Special music by the Harmony orchestra and band will be provided throughout the day and other means of entertainment will be furnished.

LYLE'S CONDITION THE SAME

Regains Consciousness But Is Unable to Converse—No Action in the Case Yet.

The condition of Lon Lyle, who was injured in an encounter with French Brown near Burlington Junction Monday night, is unimproved according to information from St. Francis hospital today.

The injured man regains consciousness at times, but is unable to talk. Mrs. Lyle was admitted to the sick room this morning, but others have not been allowed in. He has not been questioned about the incident which caused his injuries.

Prosecuting Attorney W. G. Sawyers said this morning that he would take no action in the case until he talks to Mr. Lyle which may be some days.

The chances are good for Mr. Lyle's recovery, although he is still in a serious condition.

Graduation At Quitman.

The rural graduation exercises of Green township will be held Thursday evening at Quitman. The Rev. G. S. Cox of Maryville will give the address and County Superintendent Bert Cooper will present the diplomas.

In the Big Water Proof Tent

Located at Third and Vine

All this Week

Dubinsky Bros. Stock Co.

TONIGHT--

The Shepherd of the Hills

Harold Bell Wright's Greatest Play

6 Vaudeville Specialties Between Acts 6

Feature Orchestra

PRICES 10c and 20c
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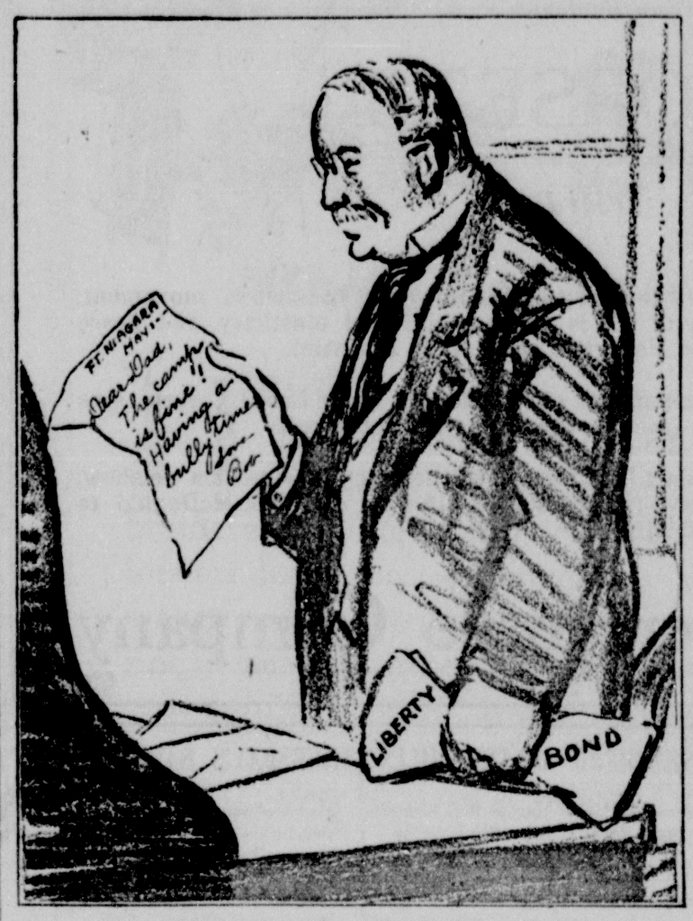

—Weed in Philadelphia Public Ledger.

MATT KOPPEN DEAD

CONCEPTION JUNCT. MAN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING LAST NIGHT.

DISCONNECTING A WIRE

Feared That Telephone Would Cause Lightning to Strike House—Killed Almost Instantly.

Matt Koppen, a farmer, 55 years old, was almost instantly killed by lightning at his home, three-fourths of a mile east of Conception Junction at 9 o'clock last night, when he attempted to disconnect the telephone line from his home for fear the house would be struck by lightning.

Mr. Koppen had been sitting in the house watching the storm and as it grew worse, he decided that he would cut the telephone wires and prevent his house from being struck. He left the house and a few minutes later a terrible clap of thunder startled Mrs. Koppen and Rolla Davis, of Casper, Wyo., a relative of the family, who is a guest at the Koppen home.

Mr. Davis went out, picked Mr. Koppen up and carried him into the house. The stricken man moaned once or twice, Mr. Davis said.

Mr. Koppen is an old resident of Nodaway county, having lived here for about forty years. He is survived by a wife and one daughter, Bernice, 12 years old. His stepson, Earl Kelley, was recently married to Miss Mae Stowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stowell, of Conception Junction.

WILL EXCEED CENSUS FIGURES.

Returns From Thirty-Seven States Indicate a Full Registration.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 13.—War registration returns in tonight from thirty-seven states indicated that when all states have reported the total enrolled will exceed census estimate of eligible deducting the six hundred thousand men now in military and naval service not required to register.

The provost marshal general's office estimated tonight that total registration in the United States will be nearly 9½ million, slightly more than 90 per cent of the census estimate of 10,298,000 eligibles between the ages of 21 and 30 inclusive. Deductions indicated by the War Department, however, would reduce this census estimate about 12 per cent, or a little more than 9 million.

With eleven more states to report, War Department records showed yesterday that 7,129,308 have registered, as compared with census estimates of 7,773,467, for the states reported.

Visits His Sister.

Charlie Arnold, a former resident of Maryville, is in Maryville today visiting his sister, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Sr., and family. Mr. Arnold's home is in Kansas City.

RAIDERS ARE ACTIVE

FIFTEEN GERMAN AEROPLANES IN BOMBARDMENT OF LONDON.

31 PERSONS ARE KILLED

Ten Children Among Those Who Lost Their Lives — Seventy-Seven Are Injured.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 13.—Fifteen German aeroplanes bombarded the east end of London today. The news of the raid was officially announced through the government press bureau. The raiders crossed the Essex coast and bore down on London through a heavy fire of high angle guns that shelled them incessantly. As the machines approached the city they took on a bombarding formation, separating so as to make attack by the British machines more difficult. The British airmen went aloft and gave battle and when the Germans fled out over the North Sea they were hotly pursued by the English machines. The raid was in broad daylight and was marked by spectacular battles in the air. Fifty hostile aeroplanes took part and many reports of the casualties and damages were received.

It was announced this afternoon in the house of commons that thirty-one persons, including ten children were killed by the raiders. Seventy-seven were injured and one attacking aircraft was shot down.

Miss Hanna Home.

Miss Hildred Hanna, who has been teaching school in Kansas City, arrived in Maryville last night to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna. Miss Hanna was accompanied home by Miss Jane Watson, who has been teaching in Okmulgee, Okla. After a few days' visit with Miss Hanna, Miss Watson will go to her home in Fulton, Mo.

Total Registration, 2,280.

The report of the registration held last Tuesday will be sent in today by the county board to the state board. The total number registered were, 2,280.

A NEW GREEK KING

PRINCE ALEXANDER TAKES KING CONSTANTINE'S PLACE TODAY.

WHY HE LEFT THRONE

Entry of U. S. Into War Said to be Largely Responsible for the Crisis.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Athens, June 13.—Prince Alexander is now ruler of Greece and assumed his kingly duties today.

London, June 13.—The entry of the United States in the war was today credited with being largely responsible for the abdication of King Constantine of Greece. The outcome of the Greek situation is a problem. Rumors today were that Alexander, son of King Constantine, would throw in his lot with the Allies but the former king has many supporters and may attempt a revolution.

How U. S. Regards It.

Washington, June 13.—The state department regards the present adjustment of the Greecian affairs as "purely temporary," although this government was not consulted in the plan to dethrone Constantine, but was kept fully informed of developments of the forced abdication. The state department regards it is a "military move," and that it was necessary.

It is presumed that Prince Alexander will take up his kingly duties with full acceptance of the ideas which the protecting powers desire to put into effect in the government of Greece during the present war. He is 24 years of age and has been free from anti-Entente proclivities.

The climax in the affairs of Greece was brought about through the agency of the French senator, M. Jonnart, who arrived at Athens only a day or two ago on a special mission as the representative of France, Great Britain and Russia. The demands of the powers respecting the abdication of King Constantine also specifically eliminated Crown Prince George as his successor. Both the ex-king and Prince George intend to leave the country immediately and will go to Italy.

190 LOST ON STEAMER.

Sequana, French Ship Submarined in the Atlantic.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, June 13.—The French steamship, Sequana, carrying the Bengalese troops has been submarined with a loss of hundred and ninety lives, according to information. It was attacked in the Atlantic and sent down by a torpedo. Five hundred Bengales were aboard.

PERSHING AT BOLOGNE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, June 13.—Major-General Pershing arrived at Bologne today. He was given a tremendous ovation. He was expected in Paris tonight.

Army-Navy Budget to Wilson.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 13.—The senate this afternoon agreed to the conference report on three billion, three hundred forty millions for the army and the navy war budget without a dissenting vote. It goes to the president for his signature.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight, Thursday and Friday; cooler tonight.

Electric Theatre----Tonight

Chas. Chaplin

in "The Cure"

10 and 15 cents

Feature Tonight

EMPIRE Theatre

Metro Picture Service, with

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The Charming and Popular Actress

—in—

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5 and 10 cents

Tomorrow—"The Heir to the Hoorah"

Fashion and Your Health Demand It——

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Because they fit the body perfectly, giving freedom of movement, grace and beauty. It is the combining of elasticity and grace that makes the Modart so popular, so essential.

The artistic proportions of the Modart Front Laced Corsets give the sought for grace by improving the figure poise.

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Attending Ogden Sale.

F. H. Beckord of Utica, Neb., J. E. Halsey of Sioux City, Ia., D. F. Wa[illegible] Lincoln, Neb., S. T. Gelston, Elk City, Neb., H. E. Syons, Washington, Neb., J. H. Schroeder of Arcadia, Ia., and John C. Wycup of Harlan, Ia., are in Maryville to attend the Ogden and Bellows cattle sales.

Never did floods come at a more serious time, and there is every reason for grave concern. With the nation in a crisis, the farmers exerting every effort to raise a big crop—then to have the bottoms overflow and crops destroyed — presents a condition of affairs never before faced by our people.—Gallatin North Missourian. And exchanges from a dozen counties show that very similar conditions exist throughout all of northwest Missouri. Replanting and repairing is going on, however, with the aid of townfolk and with the display of a quiet determination and a patriotism excelled nowhere.

Mrs. Angell Goes Home.

Mrs. Dave Angell, who has been visiting in Lincoln, Neb., returned last night to her home. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Mrs. Ella Goddard of Brush, Colo., who will visit for three weeks in Maryville.

At Pattonsburg a large dike recently built by the citizens saved the town from a repetition of the disaster wrought by past floods.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson of Burlington Junction were guests last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery.

Robert Barber of Burlington Junction was in Maryville on business yesterday.

"SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS"

Dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's Best Novel Will be Produced by Dubinsky Bros. Tonight.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," a dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's famous and best book, will be produced at the big tent tonight by Dubinsky Brothers Stock Company. "The Shepherd of the Hills" is by far the best of all of Harold Bell Wright's plays. The part of "Preachin Bill" with his quaint philosophy is the funniest comedy part ever written for a play. The story is a powerful one and mighty interesting. All together it is one of the company's big feature plays. A complete change of specialties will be seen between acts.

"A Messenger Boy" with Ed and Barney Dubinsky will be repeated Friday night, as a full performance of the play was not given last night on account of the continued and what threatened to be a real storm. The audience was dismissed in the middle of the second act.

WILL CHANGE THE SYSTEM.

Insured Parcel Post Tags Will Not Be Attached to Packages After July 1.

A new system will be introduced in the insured parcel post service, effective July 1, tending to simplify it. The tags, which now must be filled out by the sender, will be abolished altogether and instead only a record will be kept at the postoffice and a receipt will be given the sender. The tags now in use are divided into three sections, one being given the sender as a receipt, another attached to the packages, and the third kept on the office files. Oftentimes the tags on the bundles are torn off, and when the new system is effective there will be no such record attached to the package.

Call to Arkoe Ladies' Aid.

Before our kind pastor,
Goes from us away,
We wish our appreciation
For his service to repay.

In some remunerative fashion,
And the every ready Ladies' Aid,
After some thought and cogitation,
Have settled on a way.

Our gratitude to show:—
We ask you this Thursday
To bring to the church at Arkoe,
All the eggs we get that day.

Now please all come at seven-thirty,
Each with a basket large or small,
And linger for a social hour,
While we respond to duty's call.

Charlie Chaplin at Electric.

Charlie Chaplin takes the cure tonight. At least he takes the leading part in the film play, "The Cure," at the Electric Theatre. The play is said to be one of the best examples of the famous comedians work. And it may be one of his last for some time as Charlie has been called by his native country to be ready to serve in the war. Charlie hails originally from France.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued by Recorder Baker to R. Lee Stowell of Conception Junction and Clara Bond of Ravenwood.

Gus King of Conception is in Maryville on business today.

THURSDAY'S BAND CONCERT

March—"Semper Fidelis," (Sousa).
Overture—"Home Circle" (Reeves)
Medley Two-Step—"Jane" (Morh).
Overture—"From Dawn to Twilight" (Bennet).
Intermezzo—"Lance Jack" (Williams).
Humoreske — (Op. 101 No. 7), (Dvorak).
Two-Step March—"Arrah Go On, I'm Gonna Go Back to Oregon" (Schulz).
Selection—"Woodland" (Luders).
March—"Sells-Floto Triumphal," (King).

Mrs. Baker Buried.

The body of Mrs. Minerva Baker, (colored), who died Sunday at her home in Omaha, arrived in Maryville last night. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the African Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. J. D. Wells, pastor of the church. Burial was in the Oak Hill cemetery.

Eugene Rathbun, Noble Grand.

Eugene Rathbun was elected noble grand of the White Cloud Lodge No. 92 I. O. O. F., at their meeting last night. Marion F. Smith was elected as vice-grand. The other elective officers hold over. The Odd Fellows elect a noble grand and a vice-grand every six months.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Doll Nicholas of near Burlington Junction announce the birth of a daughter, born yesterday morning.

Roy Curfman, M. Nusbaum, and Nick Sturm will make a trip today to Graham, Skidmore and Burlington Junction in the interest of the Maryville Homestead Loan association.

SYMPTOMS OF HER DISEASE

Backache, Sideache, Nervousness, Dizziness, Faintness, all Disappeared After the Woman's Medicine was Taken.

Kingfisher, Okla.—"For two years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, and had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking ten bottles I am now well and strong, have no more pain, backache or dizzy spells. Everyone tells me how well I look and I tell them Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did it."—Miss NINA SOUTHWICK, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 33, Kingfisher, Okla.

Every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as Mrs. Southwick did, or if they need free advice in regard to any annoying symptom write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

RED CROSS WEEK

PRESIDENT SETS ASIDE JUNE 18-25 TO RAISE MONEY.

ASSURANCE OF SUPPORT

"Military and Civilian Relief at Home and Abroad," Is Slogan Adopted By the Workers.

Red Cross Week, from June 18 to 25, has been set aside by President Wilson in formal proclamation as the period in which the nation will devote itself to raising $100,000,000 for the comfort and relief of the country's fighting men, the sick and wounded, as well as dependent families of enlisted men and destitute non-combatants.

Despite the many calls upon the patriotic for financial assistance, this campaign for the Red Cross is already assured the magnificent support it will need to carry. Brisk preliminary work on the part of the Western Campaign committee has enlisted the most powerful and influential men in all the large centers. Secretary Joseph Tumulty, in behalf of President Wilson, has wired to hundreds of prominent men throughout the West and has received from them enthusiastic assurances of support.

Conferences have been held, already in San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, and Denver and Wichita will be visited and organized before the trip ends. John B. Miller, of Los Angeles gas corporation, is chairman of the Western committee, and, working with him are such representative men as William H. Crocker, of San Francisco, Lawrence C. Phipps, Sr., of Denver, Henry L. Corbett, of Portland, Charles E. Peabody of Seattle, George C. Taliaferro, of San Antonio, and Ford Harvey of Kansas City. The Western headquarters are at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco, with Lyman L. Pierce, executive secretary, and Richard H. Perkins, associate secretary.

"Military and civilian relief at home and abroad," is the slogan of the campaigners for this immense sum of money. It means that the appeal will be to all citizens because all citizens, either directly or indirectly, will be vitally affected.

"The best way in which to impart the greatest efficiency and energy to the relief work, which this war will entail," says President Wilson, in discussing his creation of the Red Cross War Council, "will be to concentrate it in the hands of a single, experienced organization which has been recognized by law and by international convention as the public instrumentality for such purposes. Indeed, such a concentration of administrative action in this matter seems to me absolutely necessary, and I hereby earnestly call upon all who can contribute either great sums or small to the alleviation of the suffering and distress which must inevitably arise out of this fight for humanity and democracy, to contribute to the Red Cross.

"It will be one of the first and most necessary tasks of the new War Council of the Red Cross to raise great sums of money for the support of the work to be done and done upon a great scale. I hope that the response to their efforts will be a demonstration of the generosity of America and the power of genuine practical sympathy among our people that will command the admiration of the whole world."

Inspired by the appeal of the nation's chief executive and head of the national Red Cross, workers in every city in the union are being organized to make the campaign week an effective money-raising event. Teams are being trained to handle the details of this stupendous canvass for the hundred million. West of the Mississippi, it is expected to raise at least fifteen millions of dollars, and, already, signatures have been secured to substantial checks which will give the campaign a powerful stimulus when it opens on June 18.

Graham Methodist Church Notes.

Services Sunday, June 17, as follows:

Graham, Sunday school at 10.
Mt. Zion, Sunday school at 10.
Rockford, Sunday school at 10.
Swan Chapel, Sunday school at 10 and preaching at 8.

On account of the Township Sunday school convention there will be no service at Mt. Zion Sunday afternoon.

—E. W. Croy, pastor.

Husted's Leave For Home.

Mrs. H. E. Husted and little daughter, Betty, left last night for their home in Galesburg, Ill., after a visit of several weeks with Miss Clara Sturm.

Joe Brown, who has been visiting friends in Maryville returned today to his home in Kansas City.

Edwards'

Commencing Monday

we will Open promptly at 5 a. m. and Close promptly at 8 p. m.

Between these hours you may obtain all that our service is able to offer you. By thus making known our hours of business we expect not only to systematize our business but to thereby better serve our customers. We believe that these hours will be the most convenient for our patrons.

Special arrangements as usual made for parties

"The Place to Eat"

NEW TRAINING CAMP

Fort Riley Will Get Another Officer Training School—To Apply Before July 15.

Announcement has been made of a second series of training camps for officers, one of which will be held in Fort Riley, Kan. The second camp will start August 27 and the training will continue to November 26, the announcement says.

Of the qualifications of applicants, the statement says:

"The minimum age limit for all is 20 years and 9 months. However, in order to obtain the experienced class of men preferences will be given to applicants more than 31 years old. Any military training applicants may have had will weigh in their favor."

It is made clear in the official announcement no applications will be accepted before June 15 or after July 15. No provision has yet been made where the applications may be sent. That will be announced soon, although it is presumed the regular army officers will handle them, as they did for the first camp.

Applications must be accompanied by the names of three responsible citizens as reference, but letters of recommendation are not desired, the statement says.

Applicants for admission to the first camp who were not called must renew their applications if they desire to take the training in the second camp. Previous certifications will have no weight in the selection of men for the second camp.

Examination of applicants will not be made until after July 15 when regular army officers will visit convenient places and order the applicants before them for the examination.

Members of the second camp will be paid $100 a month, transportation from point of certification and subsistence. They must agree, however, to accept commissions as officers at any time the Secretary of War deems it advisable to issue them.

A mass meeting of loyal Gallatin boosters responded to an invitation of the mayor to consider ways and means of providing seed and help for the farmers in the flood district of that county who will have to replant their corn. It is needless to say that ways and means were amply provided by these patriotic men.

Train Service Resumed.

Train service on the Wabash will be entirely resumed today. No. 12 to St. Louis left this morning, but possibly No. 14, which is due to arrive this evening, will not be run.

DONT'S FOR THE WAR

Dr. Preston Slosson of Columbia University Has Advice for Americans in Crisis.

New York, June 13.—Dr. Preston W. Slosson, of the history department of Columbia University, has drawn up a list of "Dont's on the War." Some of them are:

"Don't say 'My country right or wrong.' We aren't wrong.

"Don't call national necessity and international justice by any name as vague as 'national honor.'

"Don't say 'Wall Street,' or 'British gold,' or the 'Northcliffe press' made this war. You don't have to bribe a nation to make it resent the murder of its citizens.

"Don't call every pro-ally 'pro-British.' Great Britain is only one of a dozen or so of the Allies.

"Don't say that both sides think they are fighting a defensive war. A man may honestly think that two and six are eleven, but it doesn't make them so.

"Don't call universal training 'Prussian militarism.' It is no more Prussian than it is Swiss, French, British, Argentine, Japanese or Australian.

"Don't say that we owe aid to France on account of Lafayette. We didn't help France in 1870, and we were right not to do so. We only owe aid to any nation when it is fighting (as at present), in a righteous quarrel.

"Don't say that 'it doesn't make any difference to the workingman what country governs him.' On the contrary, it makes more difference to him than to any one else, because the rich man can spend his time in travel or buy his way into the privileged class if he finds political conditions oppressive."

Rev. John Here.

Rev. C. H. John arrived this morning from Siloam Springs, Ark., to spend some time as the guest of friends.

In Spite of Them

SUCCESS is not a fair weather proposition. A man succeeds, not because there are no difficulties to overcome, but in spite of them.

Expect them, don't let them take you by surprise.

An account with this bank, will place you in a position to overcome many obstacles, and to take advantage of new opportunities, that may come to you, because of your connection with this bank.

Farmers Trust Co.

Capital - $200,000.00

Sporting Goods

BASEBALL—TENNIS

The two great American games—Both are health giving—Both are physical developers and for the lover of out-door sports there is nothing more enjoyable.

We have complete lines in both Tennis and Baseball goods. We guarantee the goods we sell and they are priced reasonable. Come here for anything you want in these goods.

Kuchs Brothers

In the Home——

The modern home, no less than the business office should have an Electric Fan. Without one, real comfort is impossible during the summer months. The residence type

Emerson Fans

are ideal for living room, dining room, and bed rooms and can be attached wherever there is an electric light.

Cost But a Few Cents For This Comfort. No home complete without one.

The EMERSON FANS are the only fans with a 5 year factory guarantee. Call at our display room, where we will be pleased to show various types and sizes.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Empire Bldg., Maryville, Mo.
Phone 21.

GRAVY SAVES WASTE FATS.

Lack of Fats One of Most Serious of the Food Shortages.

Reports from Germany indicate that the lack of fats constitutes one of the most serious food shortages. Fats in this country are becoming scarce and Dr. Louise Stanley of the Missouri College of Agriculture has suggested that precautions be taken to conserve the remaining supply. The housewife's troubles will be amply repaid, because fats of all kinds are high, and if she can save those which have been wasted heretofore she will reduce the living expenses of the household and at the same time contribute to the country's food supply.

Miss Stanley suggests gravy as a means of utilizing fats that are ordinarily wasted. Gravy saves fat in two ways. In the first place it enables one to use the fat that is left in a vessel after meat is cooked. In case there is too much for gravy at one time, the clear upper portion can be poured off and saved for other use.

Gravy saves fat indirectly since it diminishes the amount of butter used. It also offers a means of spreading the flavor of the meat thereby reducing the amount of meat used. Housewives who make gravy, frequently notice a decrease in the meat and butter bills.

Gravy that is left over should be saved for meatless meals and meatless days. It may also be used with left-over meals, to flavor vegetables, to add to soups, or in various other ways.

"The Pretenders" at Empire.

The offering at the Empire tonight will be "The Pretenders," in five parts, with Emmy Wehlen and Paul Gordon as stars. This is a splendid picture and has a good plot as well as a capable cast.

Returns to Bosworth.

Mrs. W. S. Windsor, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Ruby, left this morning with her daughter for their home in Bosworth, Mo.

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

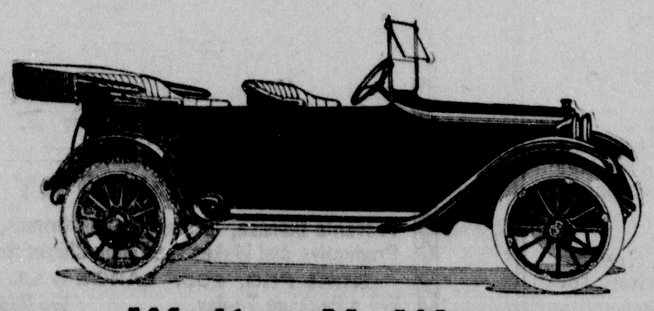
Were they so disposed, Dodge Brothers could not lower the quality of this car.

They are no longer free agents, because public opinion has established a standard for everything bearing their name.

They dare not fall below the high estimate that has been formed of them as motor car manufacturers.

It will Pay You to Visit Us and Examine This Car.

The gasoline Consumption is Unusually Low.
The Tire Mileage Is Unusually High.
Touring Car or Roadster, $835; Winter Touring Car or Roadster, $1,000
Sedan or Coupe, $1,265.
(All prices f. o. b. Detroit).



Walter N. Wray
Dealer in Dodge Bros. Cars.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD
Hanamo phone 42, Farmers phone 114

Dinner Guest at Baker's.

Dr. J. W. Dean was a dinner guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Baker.

Bridge Club at Miss Sturm's.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club met yesterday afternoon with Miss Clara Sturm on South Main street. Only one guest, Mrs. H. E. Husted, was present. Mrs. Ben Chandler won the game prize and Mrs. Husted won the guest prize.

Entertains Wesleyan Class.

Miss Jessie Briggs, assisted by Miss Cora Gehr, entertained the members of the Wesleyan class of the First Methodist church last night at the Briggs home on South Walnut street. A short business session was held which was followed by a social hour. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present at the meeting were: Mrs. Elizabeth French, teacher of the class, Mrs. Blanche Lawler, Mrs. Orville Bennett, Mrs. Chester Bennett, Mrs. Delbert Vert, Mrs. Marvin Curnutt, Misses Ruth Matter, Mae Howland, Emma Hull, Ada Gingrich, Lucile Airy and Dr. Jessie Clark. Three guests were present. They were: Miss Sophia Hull, Mayhew Saville and Mrs. Alice Gehr.

Mite Box Opening.

The annual mite box opening of the Woman's Home Missionary society and the Queen Esther circle of the First Methodist church was held at the home of Mrs. R. S. Braniger last night. Mrs. Braniger, patroness of the Queen Esther circle and Miss Ethel Embree, president of the Woman's Home Missionary society, were in charge of the program.

The members of the Queen Esther circle were dressed to represent the different peoples to whom the proceeds of the mite boxes go. Each one gave an account of the work among the Japanese, Chinese, Eskimos, Negroes, mountaineers, immigrants, and other peoples included among the charges of the church.

At the close of the program refreshments were served to about guests.

Mrs. Gray, Hostess.

Mrs. Orville Gray was hostess to the Bloomdale W. W. club Thursday, June 7. It being the semi-annual election the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. Walter Runnels; first vice-president, Mrs. Chris Moon; second vice-president, Mrs. Abe Byerrum; recording secretary, Mrs. Will Gorton; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Orville Gray. During the social hour Mrs. Gray was assisted by Mrs. Marion Gray and Miss Ola Gray. The following members answered the roll call: Mrs. John Stephens, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Chance Copeland, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Abe Byerrum, Mrs. Marion Gray, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Edward Harvey, Mrs. Will Gorton, Mrs. Chris Moon, Mrs. George Wray and Mrs. Orville Gray. Miss Ola Gray and little Miss Aldene Runnels were guests of the club.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Pleas Bolin of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood entertained last week in honor of her granddaughter, Elaine's birthday. The young lady being a visitor from Paradise, Kan. Besides a fine lunch the young folks most of them the grandchildren of Mrs. Bolin, played games and had a good time. The following grandchildren were there: Helen and Aileen Bolin, Edwin Bolin, Mildred, Laura Margaret and Harold Bolin, Lucile and John Bolin. Mrs. Bolin was assisted in entertaining by Miss Margaret Bolin.

Appoint Tag Day Workers.

The members of the D. A. R. will hold a sale of tags tomorrow, Thursday, June 14, the National Flag Day. The D. A. R.'s request every citizen and every business house in town to fly the American flag tomorrow. Those who have been appointed to sell the tags are as follows: Miss Mae Corwin, Mrs. H. A. Foster, Miss Frances Smith, Mrs. E. G. Orear, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Miss Orril Helwig, Mrs. Fred Harvey, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Lulu Todd, Miss Mary Wooldridge, Miss Mary Margaret Richey, Miss Julia Tate and Misses Winifred and Lillian Carpenter.

For Catherine Remus.

Mrs. C. F. Remus, assisted by Ruth Miller, Ora Mae Condon, Mabel Cook, Alice Peery, and Margaret and Frances Remus entertained a number of boys and girls this afternoon at her home on West Third street in honor of the eleventh birthday anniversary of Catherine Remus. Various games furnished amusement for the afternoon, after which refreshments were served to the following: Roberta Cook, Margaret Louise Hosmer, Louise Peery, Marie and Katheryn Chandler, Leota Clare Landfather, Katheryn Gray, Mary Curnutt, Virginia Curnutt, Doris Zahm, Edwina Forsyth, Leola Miller, Lula Mae Curfman, Lucile Gaugh, Winifred Baker, Dorothy Grundy, Eula Yowell and Lucile Lane of Maitland, the only out-of-town guest; Robert Arnett, Burdette Yeo, Townsend Godsey, Edward Tindall, Forrest Martin, Richard Baker, Clyde Gibson, Harold Miller, Donald Herndon, Francis Parle, John and Ralph Curfman, Floyd Cook, Billy Bailey, and William Gaugh.

Thomas-Billings Wedding.

About sixty-six friends and relatives of Miss Vernie I. Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas of Maryville witnessed her marriage to William Wyatt Billings of Liberty, Mo. The ceremony took place at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents on East Halsey street.

The parlors and dining room of the Thomas home were beautifully decorated in green and white, southern smilax, ferns and white swansonia being used. In one parlor was constructed an arch of smilax and swansonia banked with ferns.

The guests upon arriving were escorted to the dining room where punch was served. The dining table was centered with a huge bouquet of pink and white carnations.

At the appointed time, Miss Hilda Lahr, a close friend of the bride, began the wedding march and the bridal party came down the stairs. First came little Virginia Lucas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas, who acted the part of ring bearer. The little Miss was dressed in white trimmed in pink ribbons and carried the ring in a pink rose tied with white tulle.

Following the ring bearer came the bride and bridegroom, who approached the arch, underneath which the Rev. C. Emerson Miller, pastor of the First Christian church was waiting to perform the ceremony.

The bride was charming in a handsome robe of white crepe de chine, trimmed with lace, and her long veil was caught to her hair with lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

The single ring service was performed by Rev. Mr. Miller, Miss Lahr playing several selections during the ceremony.

After the service, the guests were served light refreshments in pink and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Billings left on the afternoon train for Chicago, where they will live for the next two years, while Mr. Billings is finishing his medical course. Mrs. Billings was dressed in a gray traveling suit with shoes and gloves to match and wore a white hat.

The couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts from friends and relatives all over the country. The guest list for the wedding included many who had known the bride since her childhood.

The out-of-town guests invited

(Continued on page 4.)

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

June Sales

White Goods Bargains

HERE are some of the greatest values yet offered. Beautiful quality of Muslin Underwear, Dainty Lace Flouncing and allover, Embroidery Flouncing and Allover. In these special lots are laces and embroideries suitable for dresses, waists and under-garments. Even though you are not in need of these at present the saving they represent cannot help but appeal to your spirit of economy.

Here are a few of the lots of special interest —others are here to select from.

TABLE NO. 1.
Large assortment of allover laces and embroidery and 24, 27, 36 and 45 inch Crepe Voile Embroidery Flouncing, wide variety of beautiful designs, unusual bargains. June Sale Special, the yard $1.00

TABLE NO. 2.
Assorted lot of 18 inch allover lace, embroidery and lace flouncings and 27 inch allover embroidery, large variety of dainty patterns, June Sale Special, the yard... 75c

TABLE NO 3.
One lot of embroidery flouncings, 45 inches wide and allover embroidery 27 inches wide, large assortment of patterns, June Sale Special, the yard 50c

TABLE NO. 5.
Muslin Gowns, Teddy Suits, Skirts, Corset Covers and Drawers, white and flesh color, lace and embroidery trimmed. Some silk Crepe Camisoles in the lot. June Sale Special, each..... 69c

TABLE NO. 4.
Assorted lot of 27 inch embroidery flouncing and 18 inch allover embroidery, various designs, June Sale Bargain, the yard 39c

TABLE NO. 6.
One lot of Muslin and Nainsook Gowns Combination Suits and Corset Covers, fancy lace and embroidery effects, white and flesh, June Sale Special, each $1.00

TABLE NO. 7.
Gowns, Combination Suits and Skirts, Muslin and Nainsook, Embroidery effects, and dainty lace trimmed, beautiful quality, June Sale Special, each $1.79

TABLE NO. 9.
One lot of Embroidery Edges and Insertions, various designs in organdy and muslin, widths up to 18 inches, June Sale Special, the yd 19c

TABLE NO. 8.
Assorted lot of White Goods, Embroidered Swiss, Voile, Organdy and lace cloth, 36 inches wide. June Sale Special, the yard..... 59c

TABLE NO. 10.
Assorted lot of Embroidery Insertion and edges, assorted patterns, widths to 8 inches, special, at the yard 9c

Many other bargains on display in the various departments

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

HAVE money to loan. Chas. Hystop. 25tf

FOUND—Iowa license tag, 204208. Inquire this office. 13-15

L. CARR at Glover & Alexander's Feed Mill is still buying iron and junk at the highest prices. Call and fin out. 12-16*

LOST—Child's gold bracelet, initial "M;" child's black velvet coat, Sunday. Notify Democrat-Forum or George Fred Davis, Han. 30 XY 12-14

LAWN mowers sharpened and adjusted at Ryan's blacksmith shop. 8-14*

LOST—White prayer book belonging to Pauline Mahoney, between First and Main and Mitchell Ray residence. Return here. 13-15*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Registered 2-year-old Angus bull, smooth and beefy, fin disposition and good sire. Elmer Fraser. 23tf

FOR SALE—A Jersey heifer calf, 2 months old. Call Hanamo 5237, or 420 West 12th St. 13-15

FOR SALE—No. 1 A folding Eastman kodak, used very little, good as new. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 11-16*

FOR SALE—Good work horse, 2 cows, one with calf by side; brood sow, shoat, hay frame, 160-egg Old Trusty incubator. 1109 East First St 11-13*

FOR SALE—Good coment block machine and outfit. Cause of selling have no time to work at it. See me at Lippman's new warehouse or call Han. 521. Cheap if sold at once Frank Reynolds. 11-16

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room near Normal to young man or man and wife. 613 West Second. Farmers phone 219-11.

WANTED

WANTED—Lady help for kitchen work. Edwards Cafe. 11-13*

WANTED—Young man to work nights and Sundays. Maryville Tire and Rubber Co. 12-14

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* DRS. JESSIE G. CLARK *
* and EULA C. GODBY. *
* Osteopathic Physicians *
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* Women and Children A Specialty *
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* and 2 to 5 p. m. Both Phones *
* Evenings by Appointment *
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Ulmer Child Dies.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Ulmer of Maryville died today at the St. Francis hospital. Funeral services were held this afternoon and burial was in the Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Price and daughter, Mabel Marie, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Price of Clearmont.

Theodore Logan of Parnell sold his interest in the Harman and Logan garage to Charles Harman, Tuesday. It will in the future be known as the Harman garage.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

C. C. Corwin, Fred Wolfers and Philip Colbert went to Clearmont yesterday on business.

Big G. A remedy for infections of the urinary tract. Painless, non-poisonous and will not stricture. Relieves in 1 to 5 days. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS. Parcel Post if desired—Price $1, or 3 bottles $2.75. Prepared by THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI, O.

HOW SHALL WE PAY FOR THE WAR?

A Constructive Criticism on the House Revenue Bill.

LOANS BETTER THAN TAXES

Five Reasons Why Excessive Taxes at the Outset of War Are Disadvantageous—Great Britain Example Worthy of Emulation—How the Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

By EDWIN R. A. SELIGMAN, McVickar Professor of Political Economy, Columbia University.

On May 23, 1917, the House of Representatives passed an act "to provide revenue to defray war expenses and for other purposes." In the original bill as presented by the Committee of Ways and Means, the additional revenue to be derived was estimated at $1,810,420,000. The amendment to the income tax, which was tacked on to the bill during the discussion in the House, was expected to yield another $40,000,000 or $50,000,000.

In discussing the House bill, two problems arise:

I. How much should be raised by taxation?

II. In what manner should this sum be raised?

I. How Much Should Be Raised by Taxation?

How was the figure of $1,800,000,000 arrived at? The answer is simple. When the Secretary of the Treasury came to estimate the additional war expenses for the year 1917-18, he calculated that they would amount to some $6,000,000,000, of which $3,000,000,000 was to be allotted to the allies, and $3,000,000,000 was to be utilized for the domestic purposes. Thinking that it would be a fair proposition to divide this latter sum between loans and taxes, he concluded that the amount to be raised by taxes was $1,800,000,000.

There are two extreme theories, each of which may be dismissed with scant courtesy. The one is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by loans, and the other is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by taxes. Each theory is untenable.

It is indeed true that the burdens of the war should be borne by the present rather than the future generation; but this does not mean that they should be borne by this year's taxation.

Meeting all war expenses by taxation makes the taxpayers in one or two years bear the burden of benefits that ought to be distributed at least over a decade within the same generation.

In the second place, when expenditures approach the gigantic sums of present-day warfare, the tax-only policy would require more than the total surplus of social income. Were this absolutely necessary, the ensuing havoc in the economic life of the community would have to be endured. But where the disasters are so great and at the same time so unnecessary, the tax-only policy may be declared impracticable.

Secretary McAdoo had the right instinct and highly commendable courage in deciding that a substantial portion, at least, of the revenues should be derived from taxation. But when he hit upon the plan of 50-50 per cent., that is, of raising one-half of all domestic war expenditures by taxes, the question arises whether he did not go too far.

The relative proportion of loans to taxes is after all a purely business proposition. Not to rely to a large extent on loans at the outset of a war is a mistake.

Disadvantages of Excessive Taxes.

The disadvantages of excessive taxes at the outset of the war are as follows:

1. Excessive taxes on consumption will cause popular resentment.

2. Excessive taxes on industry will disarrange business, damp enthusiasm and restrict the spirit of enterprise at the very time when the opposite is needed.

3. Excessive taxes on incomes will deplete the surplus available for investments and interfere with the placing of the enormous loans which will be necessary in any event.

4. Excessive taxes on wealth will cause a serious diminution of the incomes which are at present largely drawn upon for the support of educational and philanthropic enterprises. Moreover, these sources of support would be dried up precisely at the time when the need would be greatest.

5. Excessive taxation at the outset of the war will reduce the elasticity available for the increasing demands that are soon to come.

Great Britain's Policy.

Take Great Britain as an example. During the first year of the war she increased taxes only slightly, in order to keep industries going at top notch. During the second year she raised by new taxes only 9 per cent. of her war expenditures. During the third year she levied by additional taxes (over and above the pre-war level) only slightly more than 17 per cent. of her war expenses.

If we should attempt to do as much in the first year of the war as Great Britain did in the third year it would suffice to raise by taxation $1,250,000,000. If, in order to be absolutely on the safe side, it seemed advisable to increase the sum to $1,500,000,000, this should, in our opinion, be the maximum.

In considering the apportionment of the extraordinary burden of taxes in war times certain scientific principles are definitely established:

How Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

(1) The burden of taxes must be spread as far as possible over the whole community so as to cause each individual to share in the sacrifices according to his ability to pay and according to his share in the Government.

(2) Taxes on consumption, which are necessarily borne by the community at large, should be imposed as far as possible on articles of quasi-luxury rather than on those of necessity.

(3) Excises should be imposed as far as possible upon commodities in the hands of the final consumer rather than upon the articles which serve primarily as raw material for further production.

(4) Taxes upon business should be imposed as far as possible upon net earnings rather than upon gross receipts or capital invested.

(5) Taxes upon income which will necessarily be severe should be both differentiated and graduated. That is, there should be a distinction between earned and unearned incomes and there should be a higher rate upon the larger incomes. It is essential, however, not to make the income rate so excessive as to lead to evasion, administrative difficulties, or to the more fundamental objections which have been urged above.

(6) The excess profits which are due to the war constitute the most obvious and reasonable source of revenue during war times. But the principle upon which these war-profit taxes are laid must be equitable in theory and easily calculable in practice.

The Proposed Income Tax.

The additional income tax as passed by the House runs up to a rate of 60 per cent. This is a sum unheard of in the history of civilized society. It must be remembered that it was only after the first year of the war that Great Britain increased her income tax to the maximum of 34 per cent., and that even now in the fourth year of the war the income tax does not exceed 42½ per cent.

It could easily be shown that a tax with rates on moderate incomes substantially less than in Great Britain, and on the larger incomes about as high, would yield only slightly less than the $532,000,000 originally estimated in the House bill.

It is to be hoped that the Senate will reduce the total rate on the highest incomes to 34 per cent, or at most to 40 per cent, and that at the same time it will reduce the rate on the smaller incomes derived from personal or professional earnings.

If the war continues we shall have to depend more and more upon the income tax. By imposing excessive rates now we are not only endangering the future, but are inviting all manner of difficulties which even Great Britain has been able to escape.

Conclusion.

The House bill contains other fundamental defects which may be summed up as follows:

(1) It pursues an erroneous principle in imposing retroactive taxes.

(2) It selects an unjust and unworkable criterion for the excess-profits tax.

(3) It proceeds to an unheard-of height in the income tax.

(4) It imposes unwarranted burdens upon the consumption of the community.

(5) It is calculated to throw business into confusion by levying taxes on gross receipts instead of upon commodities.

(6) It fails to make a proper use of stamp taxes.

(7) It follows an unscientific system in its flat rate on imports.

(8) It includes a multiplicity of petty and unlucrative taxes, the vexatiousness of which is out of all proportion to the revenue they produce.

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The fundamental lines on which the House bill should be modified are summed up herewith:

(1) The amount of new taxation should be limited to $1,250,000,000—or at the outset to $1,500,000,000. To do more than this would be as unwise as it is unnecessary. To do even this would be to do more than has ever been done by any civilized Government in time of stress.

(2) The excess-profits tax based upon a sound system ought to yield about $500,000,000.

(3) The income-tax schedule ought to be revised with a lowering of the rates on earned incomes below $10,000, and with an analogous lowering of the rates on the higher incomes, so as not to exceed 34 per cent. A careful calculation shows that an income tax of this kind would yield some $450,000,000 additional.

(4) The tax on whisky and tobacco ought to remain approximately as it is, with a yield of about $230,000,000.

These three taxes, together with the stamp tax at even the low rate of the House bill, and with an improved automobile tax, will yield over $1,250,000,000, which is the amount of money thought desirable.

The above program would be in harmony with an approved scientific system. It will do away with almost all of the complaints that are being urged against the present. It will refrain from taxing the consumption of the poor.

It will throw a far heavier burden upon the rich, but will not go to the extremes of confiscation. It will obviate interference with business and will keep unimpaired the social productivity of the community.

It will establish a just balance between loans and taxes and will not succumb to the danger of approaching either the tax-only policy or the loan-only policy. Above all, it will keep an undisturbed elastic margin, which must be more and more heavily drawn upon as the war proceeds.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, June 13.— WHEAT — July, $2.34¾; Sept., $2.06.

CORN—July, $1.55¾; Sept., $1.46¼.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000; steers, $10.00@$13.40; cows, $6.13.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $15.70; bulk, $14.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market, strong.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 13.—CATTLE— Receipts, 18,000; market, weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000; market, strong; top, $15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; market, strong.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100; market, strong.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3.)

were: Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Billings and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Billings of Liberty, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Billings, of Topeka, Kan., Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Billings of Hume, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Billings of Tulsa, Okla., Dr. J. H. Billings of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Benningfield of St. Joseph, Miss Amanda Hood of Seward, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Salina, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jordan of Hydro, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Omer Strong of Pickering, and Miss Bonnie Jordan of Parnell.

Rebekah Meeting.

The Rebekah Lodge will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall. A large attendance is desired.

St. Patrick's Market.

The women of the St. Patrick's church will hold a market on Saturday, June 16, at the Montgomery shoe store. Everybody invited.

S. S. Class Entertain.

The Sunday school class of the First Methodist church taught by Prof. Bert Cooper entertained last night in honor of the class taught by Mrs. O. C. Hanna at her home on North Main street. Dominoes were played during the evening and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Misses Josephine Wilderman and Greta Kemp, and Emmett Bartram.

Hold Stunt and Social.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church held a social and stunt last night at the church parlors. Various side shows furnished amusement for the guests. The Sun Moon and Star Theatre, presented Mary Pickford, Charley Chaplin and Colonel Gray's famous "One Man's Regiment," were main attractions during the evening. Smithsonian's museum which showed the World's Seven Great Attractions also proved a great success. Refreshments of ice cream, strawberries and wafers were served. On account of the threatening weather only a small crowd attended the social.

Miss Nellie Beardsley Weds.

At noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Beardsley at Parnell, gave their daughter, Nellie Irene, in marriage to Harry H. Hazzard of Winner, S. D. The impressive ring ceremony was read by the Rev. R. M. Wetzel.

Miss Esther Beardsley, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Roman Erdmann of Rochester, Minn., was best man. Mrs. W. T. Lewis of Union Star played Lohengrin's wedding march.

The bride was daintily gowned in white embroidered net with the slippers and gloves to match. A pink and white color scheme was appropriately used to decorate the house.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Beardsley. After completing her education she taught school for a number of years. The last four years she taught in Ideal, S. D., where she met Mr. Hazzard. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hazzard of Wilmington, Ill., and is a graduate of a Chicago High school. He is engaged in farming near Ideal, S. D.

Only a few of the immediate friends and relatives were present. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hooker and daughter, Halcyon, of Maryville, Miss Grace Beardsley of Waterford, Wis., Roman Erdman of Rochester, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lewis of Union Star, Miss Gertrude Spire of Parnell, Miss Myrtle Jasper and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jasper of Ravenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazzard left last night for a trip through the Rocky mountains and other points of interest in the West. After July 1 they will be at home to their friends at their farm near Ideal, S. D.

Mrs. Peter Lahr of Iowa, is visiting friends in Maryville.

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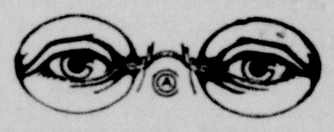

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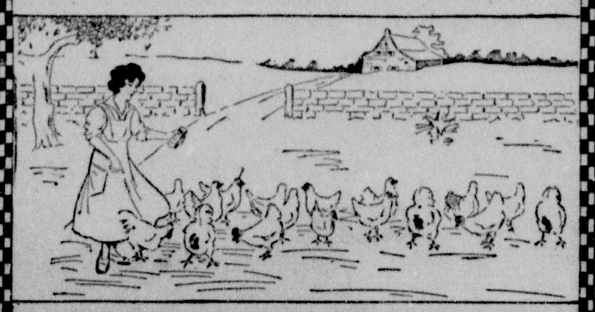

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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FEARED A TORNADO

MANY SOUGHT CAVES DURING LAST NIGHT'S STORM.

NO PROPERTY DAMAGE

Farmers Report Seed Washed in Replanted Ground — Rainfall Was 1.58 Inches.

One of the most violent storms of the summer passed over Maryville and Nodaway county last night, but from all reports no property damage was done.

Only one death from lightning, that of Matt Koppen of near Conception Junction, was reported.

About 9 o'clock the storm began and continued with slight interruptions until about 3 o'clock this morning. The lightning flashed almost continuously and a roaring in the north made many persons think that a tornado was on its way to Maryville. So strong was this belief with some families that they sought the depths of their caves to await the coming of the tornado or cyclone.

The Dubinsky Brothers were playing to a crowded tent and had just got well launched into the first act when the lightning began. The audience began to disperse, and in spite of assurances that the tent was water proof a half tent full left in a few minutes. The play was finally called off as the storm grew worse.

The newly planted corn which had been placed in the field by the farmers after the last rains were over, was washed out, a number of men said today.

The maximum temperature yesterday was 87 degrees and the minimum last night was 43 degrees. The rainfall, according to J. R. Brink, weather recorder, was 1.58. A slight hail storm accompanied the rain.

Monday was the hottest day of the summer, the temperature being 93 degrees.

A cloudburst was reported at Cedar Rapids, Ia., but no details of the damage was received.

TORNADO NEAR CHILLICOTHE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Chillicothe, June 13.—Twenty-five were reported killed last night in a tornado which swept Mercer and Putnam counties. The wires in this district are down and information is difficult to get.

Unionville, Mo., June 13.—Two persons were killed in a tornado last night near Ravena, which took before it all the barns, sheds and small structures in a path six miles long and more than a mile wide. Definite information in the stricken district is difficult to obtain as all of the wires are down.

U. S. CAVALRY IN BATTLE

Band of Forty Mexicans Crosses the Border and Attacks American Troops—Several Killed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Ysleta, Tex., June 13.—A battle was fought between a band of forty Mexicans and a patrol of the United States cavalry at Ysleta Ford at midnight last night according to reports to General Bell today. Several Mexicans were reported killed. The Mexicans are reported to have crossed the borders and attacked the troops on the American side. The Americans didn't follow the bandits across the line.

Villa Again in Action.

El Paso, June 13.—Villa is again in action, having captured Santa Rosalia. Villa with three columns of well armed troops is now marching upon Chihuahua City, said a dispatch from across the border today.

5,000-TON FREIGHTER SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, June 13.—The 5,000-ton Leyland line freighter, Anglian, has been sunk according to a Liverpool cable. There were no details.

FLAG POLE FOR BAND BOYS

Committee in Charge of Erecting Flag Staff Receive Suggestion Favorably—Location Undecided.

Arrangements are being made to go ahead with the flag pole and Mayor Robey and M. A. Hahn are obtaining prices on good substantial poles. The cost of such a pole will be in the neighborhood of $150.

The suggestion has been made to dedicate the new flag pole in honor of the Fourth Regiment Band and the other boys who will go from Maryville to war. The suggestion has been well received by those in charge of the work. The pole is to be twice as large as the one that was removed. No location as yet has been definitely decided on.

TO IMPROVE THE BAINUM

Hot and Cold Water in More Rooms and Numerous Baths to Be Added.

M. Nusbaum, owner of the Hotel Bainum, announced this morning, that the hotel will be extensively improved within the next few weeks. A hot and cold water system will be put in nine more of the rooms and a number of new baths will be installed. The water will be heated by the city light plant, thus insuring perfect service daily.

Tindall & Smith, who have been awarded the contract will begin on the work at once.

KIDDIES IN RECITAL

Tiny Pupils of Miss Eleanor Smith In Program Tomorrow Afternoon—Public Invited.

The following program will be given tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Conservatory Recital Hall by pupils of Miss Eleanor Smith. Only children between 5 and 10 years of age will play in the recital. All who are interested in childrens' work are cordially invited to attend.

"March of the Soldiers," (Gaynor), Beulah May White.

"Ding Dong Dell," (Gaynor), and "Clatter, Clatter Goes the Mill," (Gaynor), Borden Cox.

"Night and Morning," (Hudson), Winifred Todd.

"To A Daisy," (Erb), Gertrude Arnett.

"Dolly Lost," (Martin), and "Dolly Found," (Martin), Virginia Curfman.

"Twilight," (Hudson), and "Song of the Wildbirds," (Hudson), Virginia Dean.

Duet—"Rock-a-Bye Baby," (Martin) Leola Miller and Lucile Snyder.

"Water Fairies' Boat Song," (Neidlinger), Mary Jane Bellows.

"March of the Scouts," (Sharpe), Mary Todd.

"Up in the Swing," (Rogers), Lucile Snyder.

"Three Little Chickens," (Grant-Schaefer), Leola Miller.

"Fairy Dance," (Virgil), Dorothy Allen.

"The Clock Tells A Story," (Virgil), Mayme Grems.

"Distant Chimes, (Virgil), Eva Margaret Frank.

"May Dance," (Virgil), George Miles.

BURLINGTON RATES UP, TOO

Both Maryville Railroads Here Will Make 15 Per Cent Increase After July 1.

Not only the Wabash but also the Burlington will increase rates 15 per cent after July 1. Two traveling freight agents, J. R. McKillip of the Burlington and L. E. Mercer of the Wabash spent yesterday afternoon calling on the merchants of the city in regard to the increase which is to be made in the rates. Their chief argument for the increase is that the rate now asked is insufficient for present necessities and that they must raise their rates in order to continue business.

The two men were accompanied around the city by W. E. Goforth, agent for the Burlington and Ed Ferritor, agent for the Wabash.

Miss Anna Brown of Jefferson City, is the guest of her sister, Miss Lena Brown, stenographer for Shinabargar, Blagg & Ellison.

ARRESTS DECREASE

POLICE RECORDS SHOW IMPROVEMENT SINCE SALOONS WENT OUT.

DRUNKENNESS LESSENS

Shows 85 Per Cent Decline While General Misdeameanors Decrease 62 Per cent—What Citizens Say.

A comparison of the police records for the last year in Maryville with saloons and the first year without saloons shows that a saloonless Maryville has decreased arrests for drunkenness 85 per cent and has decreased arrest in general 62 per cent. The following figures were taken from the record from June 10, 1915 to June 10, 1916, the last year of saloons in Maryville and from the record of June 10, 1916 to June 10, 1917, the first year without saloons in Maryville. The saloonless year closed last Sunday.

With Saloons, 254 Arrests.

During the last year with saloons, there were 254 arrests. Of these 134 were for drunkenness, 22 for disturbing the peace, 4 for adultery, 4 for assault, 1 for using the cut-out, 3 for resisting officers, 7 for affray, 3 for giving liquor to drunkards, 10 for vagrancy, 2 for drinking liquor in public places, 4 for exceeding the speed limit, 13 for street walking, 4 for prostitution, 2 for distributing goods by lottery, 2 for lounging in public places, 30 for gaming, 1 for passing hand bills, 1 for giving liquor away, 2 for giving liquor away to minors, 1 for excavating in streets without license, 1 for injuring city property, 1 for allowing animals to run at large in the streets, and 1 for peddling.

Without Them, 97 Arrests.

During the year just past without saloons in Maryville only 97 arrests were made. Of these 22 were for drunkenness, 22 were for disturbing the peace, 6 were for prostitution, 1 for gaming, 1 for peddling, 2 for excavating in streets, 4 for not using tail lights on cars, 3 for lounging, 3 for fortune telling, 13 for exceeding the speed limit, 4 for street walking, 1 for affray, 2 for assault, 4 for driving over the fire hose, 1 for connecting sewer without permission, 4 for running car without jitney license, 2 for allowing animals to run at large, 1 for picketing a cow and 1 for using iron pipe instead of lead.

Converted to Prohibition.

Merchants in Maryville almost unanimously favor a saloonless Maryville. E. L. Townsend when asked his opinion on the past saloonless year said:

"I was what you might call, a high license man at the time saloons were voted out of Maryville. I believed that as long as Kansas City and St. Joseph sold liquor, we should be allowed to sell it also. I have completely changed my mind. I am converted to the principles of local option and also of national prohibition. I think that prohibition cannot come quick enough.

"I know that people are now trading at my store who did not have the money to spend when the saloons were in business. I notice this especially in my Saturday night trade. I would not have the saloons in Maryville again for anything."

The Mayor's Statement.

Mayor Robey says that the revenue deficit which has been caused by the lack of the high saloon licenses will be made up as time goes on.

"I am well pleased with local option," he said, "and I think that the number of arrests for this year will be less than they were the first year without saloons.

"Most of the liquor which caused the arrests for drunkenness was procured from other points in the state. Many of the cases were caused by the drinking of Bitters and other alcoholic patent medicines. When we curb the Bitters trade, the arrests will decrease greatly."

TRY TO SAVE LENS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 13.—The Germans are making a desperate effort to save the city of Lens. Strong counter attacks delivered last night against the new British lines on both sides of Souches in the Lens sector have been repulsed.

COAST GUARD CUTTER SUNK.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Los Angeles, June 13.—The coast guard cutter, McCollouch, was sunk, when it rammed into the steamship, Governor, near the Anacapa Island today. One sailor was fatally hurt.

HARMONY PROGRAM

WILL ENTERTAIN 2,000 PERSONS AT ANNUAL HOME-COMING.

SPEECHES ON PATRIOTISM

Dr. W. H. Betz of Iowa, Dr. S. A. Coile and Ewing Herbert of St. Joseph Are the Speakers.

Preparations are being made by Harmony to entertain about 2,000 persons at its eighth annual home-coming next Sunday. Invitations have been sent to friends of the community throughout the county and all the pastors of churches in Maryville and the surrounding towns have been asked to attend.

The morning program will begin with Sunday School, which will be conducted at 9:45 o'clock by O. R. Saunders, superintendent. At 11 o'clock church will be held and the sermon will be preached by Dr. W. H. Betz of New London, Ia. Doctor Betz, who is president of the Iowa and Missouri Conference of M. P. churches, is an excellent speaker and his sermon will be one of merit.

At 12 o'clock the big basket dinner will be held, and the committee requests families not to forget their baskets, because of the great numbers that will attend as guests on that day.

After the dinner, a few moments will be allotted to the old settlers for remarks and speeches and then a patriotic program will be given. Three speakers will discuss the various ways of aiding our country in war times, Dr. S. A. Coile, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Maryville, Emmett Bishop of Ravenwood and Ewing Herbert of St. Joseph, editor of the Stock Yards Daily Journal, are on the program.

Special music by the Harmony orchestra and band will be provided throughout the day and other means of entertainment will be furnished.

LYLE'S CONDITION THE SAME

Regains Consciousness But Is Unable to Converse—No Action in the Case Yet.

The condition of Lon Lyle, who was injured in an encounter with French Brown near Burlington Junction Monday night, is unimproved according to information from St. Francis hospital today.

The injured man regains consciousness at times, but is unable to talk. Mrs. Lyle was admitted to the sick room this morning, but others have not been allowed in. He has not been questioned about the incident which caused his injuries.

Prosecuting Attorney W. G. Sawyers said this morning that he would take no action in the case until he talks to Mr. Lyle which may be some days.

The chances are good for Mr. Lyle's recovery, although he is still in a serious condition.

Graduation At Quitman.

The rural graduation exercises of Green township will be held Thursday evening at Quitman. The Rev. G. S. Cox of Maryville will give the address and County Superintendent Bert Cooper will present the diplomas.

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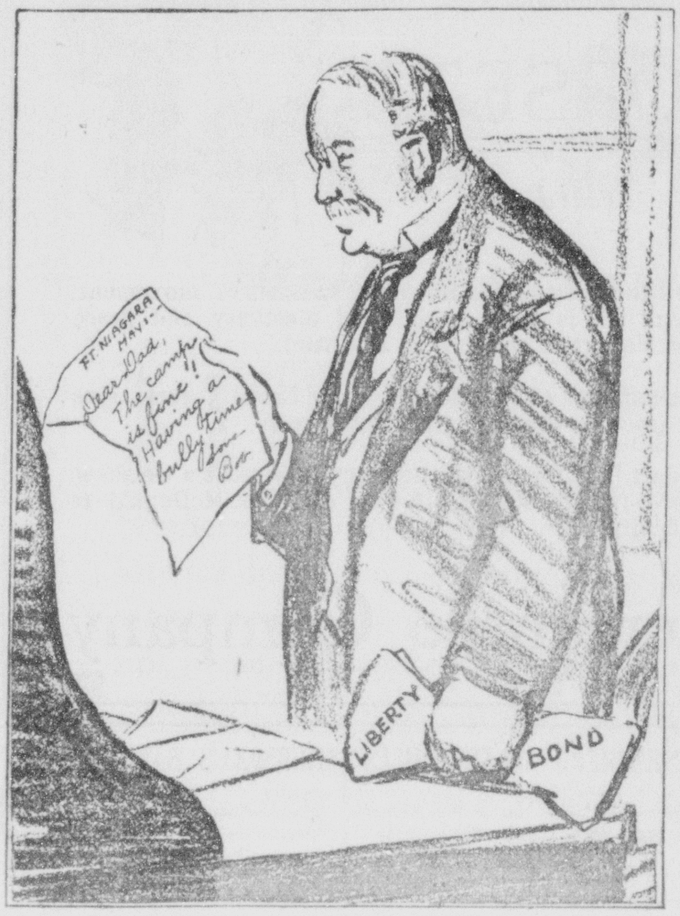

—Weed in Philadelphia Public Ledger.

MATT KOPPEN DEAD

CONCEPTION JUNCT. MAN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING LAST NIGHT.

DISCONNECTING A WIRE

Feared That Telephone Would Cause Lightning to Strike House—Killed Almost Instantly.

Matt Koppen, a farmer, 55 years old, was almost instantly killed by lightning at his home, three-fourths of a mile east of Conception Junction at 9 o'clock last night, when he attempted to disconnect the telephone line from his home for fear the house would be struck by lightning.

Mr. Koppen had been sitting in the house watching the storm and as it grew worse, he decided that he would cut the telephone wires and prevent his house from being struck. He left the house and a few minutes later a terrible clap of thunder startled Mrs. Koppen and Rolla Davis, of Casper, Wyo., a relative of the family, who is a guest at the Koppen home.

Mr. Davis went out, picked Mr. Koppen up and carried him into the house. The stricken man moaned once or twice, Mr. Davis said.

Mr. Koppen is an old resident of Nodaway county, having lived here for about forty years. He is survived by a wife and one daughter, Bernice, 12 years old. His stepson, Earl Kelley, was recently married to Miss Mae Stowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Stowell, of Conception Junction.

WILL EXCEED CENSUS FIGURES.

Returns From Thirty-Seven States Indicate a Full Registration.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 13.—War registration returns in tonight from thirty-seven states indicated that when all states have reported the total enrolled will exceed census estimate of eligible deducting the six hundred thousand men now in military and naval service not required to register.

The provost marshal general's office estimated tonight that total registration in the United States will be nearly 9½ million, slightly more than 90 per cent of the census estimate of 10,298,000 eligibles between the ages of 21 and 30 inclusive. Deductions indicated by the War Department, however, would reduce this census estimate about 12 per cent, or a little more than 9 million.

With eleven more states to report, War Department records showed yesterday that 7,129,308 have registered, as compared with census estimates of 7,773,467, for the states reported.

Visits His Sister.

Charlie Arnold, a former resident of Maryville, is in Maryville today visiting his sister, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Sr., and family. Mr. Arnold's home is in Kansas City.

RAIDERS ARE ACTIVE

FIFTEEN GERMAN AEROPLANES IN BOMBARDMENT OF LONDON.

31 PERSONS ARE KILLED

Ten Children Among Those Who Lost Their Lives — Seventy-Seven Are Injured.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, June 13.—Fifteen German aeroplanes bombarded the east end of London today. The news of the raid was officially announced through the government press bureau. The raiders crossed the Essex coast and bore down on London through a heavy fire of high angle guns that shelled them incessantly. As the machines approached the city they took on a bombarding formation, separating so as to make attack by the British machines more difficult. The British airmen went aloft and gave battle and when the Germans fled out over the North Sea they were hotly pursued by the English machines. The raid was in broad daylight and was marked by spectacular battles in the air. Fifty hostile aeroplanes took part and many reports of the casualties and damages were received.

It was announced this afternoon in the house of commons that thirty-one persons, including ten children were killed by the raiders. Seventy-seven were injured and one attacking aircraft was shot down.

Miss Hanna Home.

Miss Hildred Hanna, who has been teaching school in Kansas City, arrived in Maryville last night to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanna. Miss Hanna was accompanied home by Miss Jane Watson, who has been teaching in Okmulgee, Okla. After a few days' visit with Miss Hanna, Miss Watson will go to her home in Fulton, Mo.

Total Registration, 2,280.

The report of the registration held last Tuesday will be sent in today by the county board to the state board. The total number registered were, 2,280.

A NEW GREEK KING

PRINCE ALEXANDER TAKES KING CONSTANTINE'S PLACE TODAY.

WHY HE LEFT THRONE

Entry of U. S. Into War Said to be Largely Responsible for the Crisis.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Athens, June 13.—Prince Alexander is now ruler of Greece and assumed his kingly duties today.

London, June 13.—The entry of the United States in the war was today credited with being largely responsible for the abdication of King Constantine of Greece. The outcome of the Greek situation is a problem. Rumors today were that Alexander, son of King Constantine, would throw in his lot with the Allies but the former king has many supporters and may attempt a revolution.

How U. S. Regards It.

Washington, June 13.—The state department regards the present adjustment of the Greecian affairs as "purely temporary," although this government was not consulted in the plan to dethrone Constantine, but was kept fully informed of developments of the forced abdication. The state department regards it is a "military move," and that it was necessary.

It is presumed that Prince Alexander will take up his kingly duties with full acceptance of the ideas which the protecting powers desire to put into effect in the government of Greece during the present war. He is 24 years of age and has been free from anti-Entente proclivities.

The climax in the affairs of Greece was brought about through the agency of the French senator, M. Jonnart, who arrived at Athens only a day or two ago on a special mission as the representative of France, Great Britain and Russia. The demands of the powers respecting the abdication of King Constantine also specifically eliminated Crown Prince George as his successor. Both the ex-king and Prince George intend to leave the country immediately and will go to Italy.

190 LOST ON STEAMER.

Sequana, French Ship Submarined in the Atlantic.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, June 13.—The French steamship, Sequana, carrying the Bengalese troops has been submarined with a loss of hundred and ninety lives, according to information. It was attacked in the Atlantic and sent down by a torpedo. Five hundred Bengales were aboard.

PERSHING AT BOLOGNE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, June 13.—Major-General Pershing arrived at Bologne today. He was given a tremendous ovation. He was expected in Paris tonight.

Army-Navy Budget to Wilson.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, June 13.—The senate this afternoon agreed to the conference report on three billion, three hundred forty millions for the army and the navy war budget without a dissenting vote. It goes to the president for his signature.

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Never did floods come at a more serious time, and there is every reason for grave concern. With the nation in a crisis, the farmers exerting every effort to raise a big crop—then to have the bottoms overflow and crops destroyed — presents a condition of affairs never before faced by our people.—Gallatin North Missourian. And exchanges from a dozen counties show that very similar conditions exist throughout all of northwest Missouri. Replanting and repairing is going on, however, with the aid of townfolk and with the display of a quiet determination and a patriotism excelled nowhere.

Mrs. Angell Goes Home.

Mrs. Dave Angell, who has been visiting in Lincoln, Neb., returned last night to her home. She was accompanied home by her cousin; Mrs. Ella Goddard of Brush, Colo., who will visit for three weeks in Maryville.

At Pattonsburg a large dike recently built by the citizens saved the town from a repetition of the disaster wrought by past floods.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson of Burlington Junction were guests last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery.

Robert Barber of Burlington Junction was in Maryville on business yesterday.

"SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS"

Dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's Best Novel Will be Produced by Dubinsky Bros. Tonight.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," a dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's famous and best book, will be produced at the big tent tonight by Dubinsky Brothers Stock Company. "The Shepherd of the Hills" is by far the best of all of Harold Bell Wright's plays. The part of "Preachin Bill" with his quaint philosophy is the funniest comedy part ever written for a play. The story is a powerful one and mighty interesting. All together it is one of the company's big feature plays. A complete change of specialties will be seen between acts.

"A Messenger Boy" with Ed and Barney Dubinsky will be repeated Friday night, as a full performance of the play was not given last night on account of the continued and what threatened to be a real storm. The audience was dismissed in the middle of the second act.

WILL CHANGE THE SYSTEM.

Insured Parcel Post Tags Will Not Be Attached to Packages After July 1.

A new system will be introduced in the insured parcel post service, effective July 1, tending to simplify it. The tags, which now must be filled out by the sender, will be abolished altogether and instead only a record will be kept at the postoffice and a receipt will be given the sender. The tags now in use are divided into three sections, one being given the sender as a receipt, another attached to the packages, and the third kept on the office files. Oftentimes the tags on the bundles are torn off, and when the new system is effective there will be no such record attached to the package.

Call to Arkoe Ladies' Aid.

Before our kind pastor,
Goes from us away,
We wish our appreciation
For his service to repay.

In some remunerative fashion,
And the every ready Ladies' Aid,
After some thought and cogitation,
Have settled on a way.

Our gratitude to show:—
We ask you this Thursday
To bring to the church at Arkoe,
All the eggs we get that day.

Now please all come at seven-thirty,
Each with a basket large or small,
And linger for a social hour,
While we respond to duty's call.

Charlie Chaplin at Electric.

Charlie Chaplin takes the cure tonight. At least he takes the leading part in the film play, "The Cure," at the Electric Theatre. The play is said to be one of the best examples of the famous comedians work. And it may be one of his last for some time as Charlie has been called by his native country to be ready to serve in the war. Charlie hails originally from France.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued by Recorder Baker to R. Lee Stowell of Conception Junction and Clara Bond of Ravenwood.

Gus King of Conception is in Maryville on business today.

THURSDAY'S BAND CONCERT

March—"Semper Fidelis," (Sousa).
Overture—"Home Circle" (Reeves)
Medley Two-Step—"Jane" (Morh).
Overture—"From Dawn to Twilight" (Bennet).
Intermezzo—"Lance Jack" (Williams).
Humoreske — (Op. 101 No. 7), (Dvorak).
Two-Step March—"Arrah Go On, I'm Gonna Go Back to Oregon" (Schulz).
Selection—"Woodland" (Luders).
March—"Sells-Floto Triumphal," (King).

Mrs. Baker Buried.

The body of Mrs. Minerva Baker, (colored), who died Sunday at her home in Omaha, arrived in Maryville last night. Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the African Methodist church, conducted by the Rev. J. D. Wells, pastor of the church. Burial was in the Oak Hill cemetery.

Eugene Rathbun, Noble Grand.

Eugene Rathbun was elected noble grand of the White Cloud Lodge No. 92 I. O. O. F., at their meeting last night. Marion F. Smith was elected as vice-grand. The other elective officers hold over. The Odd Fellows elect a noble grand and a vice-grand every six months.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Doll Nicholas of near Burlington Junction announce the birth of a daughter, born yesterday morning.

Roy Curfman, M. Nusbaum, and Nick Sturm will make a trip today to Graham, Skidmore and Burlington Junction in the interest of the Maryville Homestead Loan association.

SYMPTOMS OF HER DISEASE

Backache, Sideache, Nervousness, Dizziness, Faintness, all Disappeared After the Woman's Medicine was Taken.

Kingfisher, Okla.—"For two years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, and had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. A friend asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking ten bottles I am now well and strong, have no more pain, backache or dizzy spells. Everyone tells me how well I look and I tell them Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did it."—Miss NINA SOUTHWICK, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 33, Kingfisher, Okla.

Every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as Mrs. Southwick did, or if they need free advice in regard to any annoying symptom write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

RED CROSS WEEK

PRESIDENT SETS ASIDE JUNE 18-25 TO RAISE MONEY.

ASSURANCE OF SUPPORT

"Military and Civilian Relief at Home and Abroad," Is Slogan Adopted By the Workers.

Red Cross Week, from June 18 to 25, has been set aside by President Wilson in formal proclamation as the period in which the nation will devote itself to raising $100,000,000 for the comfort and relief of the country's fighting men, the sick and wounded, as well as dependent families of enlisted men and destitute non-combatants.

Despite the many calls upon the patriotic for financial assistance, this campaign for the Red Cross is already assured the magnificent support it will need to carry. Brisk preliminary work on the part of the Western Campaign committee has enlisted the most powerful and influential men in all the large centers. Secretary Joseph Tumulty, in behalf of President Wilson, has wired to hundreds of prominent men throughout the West and has received from them enthusiastic assurances of support.

Conferences have been held, already in San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland, and Denver and Wichita will be visited and organized before the trip ends. John B. Miller, of Los Angeles gas corporation, is chairman of the Western committee, and, working with him are such representative men as William H. Crocker, of San Francisco, Lawrence C. Phipps, Sr., of Denver, Henry L. Corbett, of Portland, Charles E. Peabody of Seattle, George C. Taliaferro, of San Antonio, and Ford Harvey of Kansas City. The Western headquarters are at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco, with Lyman L. Pierce, executive secretary, and Richard H. Perkins, associate secretary.

"Military and civilian relief at home and abroad," is the slogan of the campaigners for this immense sum of money. It means that the appeal will be to all citizens because all citizens, either directly or indirectly, will be vitally affected.

"The best way in which to impart the greatest efficiency and energy to the relief work, which this war will entail," says President Wilson, in discussing his creation of the Red Cross War Council, "will be to concentrate it in the hands of a single, experienced organization which has been recognized by law and by international convention as the public instrumentality for such purposes. Indeed, such a concentration of administrative action in this matter seems to me absolutely necessary, and I hereby earnestly call upon all who can contribute either great sums or small to the alleviation of the suffering and distress which must inevitably arise out of this fight for humanity and democracy, to contribute to the Red Cross.

"It will be one of the first and most necessary tasks of the new War Council of the Red Cross to raise great sums of money for the support of the work to be done and done upon a great scale. I hope that the response to their efforts will be a demonstration of the generosity of America and the power of genuine practical sympathy among our people that will command the admiration of the whole world."

Inspired by the appeal of the nation's chief executive and head of the national Red Cross, workers in every city in the union are being organized to make the campaign week an effective money-raising event. Teams are being trained to handle the details of this stupendous canvass for the hundred million. West of the Mississippi, it is expected to raise at least fifteen millions of dollars, and, already, signatures have been secured to substantial checks which will give the campaign a powerful stimulus when it opens on June 18.

Graham Methodist Church Notes.

Services Sunday, June 17, as follows:

Graham, Sunday school at 10.
Mt. Zion, Sunday school at 10.
Rockford, Sunday school at 10.
Swan Chapel, Sunday school at 10 and preaching at 8.

On account of the Township Sunday school convention there will be no service at Mt. Zion Sunday afternoon.

—E. W. Croy, pastor.

Husted's Leave For Home.

Mrs. H. E. Husted and little daughter, Betty, left last night for their home in Galesburg, Ill., after a visit of several weeks with Miss Clara Sturm.

Joe Brown, who has been visiting friends in Maryville returned today to his home in Kansas City.

Edwards'

Commencing Monday

we will Open promptly at 5 a. m. and Close promptly at 8 p. m.

Between these hours you may obtain all that our service is able to offer you. By thus making known our hours of business we expect not only to systematize our business but to thereby better serve our customers. We believe that these hours will be the most convenient for our patrons.

Special arrangements as usual made for parties

"The Place to Eat"

NEW TRAINING CAMP

Fort Riley Will Get Another Officer Training School—To Apply Before July 15.

Announcement has been made of a second series of training camps for officers, one of which will be held in Fort Riley, Kan. The second camp will start August 27 and the training will continue to November 26, the announcement says.

Of the qualifications of applicants, the statement says:

"The minimum age limit for all is 20 years and 9 months. However, in order to obtain the experienced class of men preferences will be given to applicants more than 31 years old. Any military training applicants may have had will weigh in their favor."

It is made clear in the official announcement no applications will be accepted before June 15 or after July 15. No provision has yet been made where the applications may be sent. That will be announced soon, although it is presumed the regular army officers will handle them, as they did for the first camp.

Applications must be accompanied by the names of three responsible citizens as reference, but letters of recommendation are not desired, the statement says.

Applicants for admission to the first camp who were not called must renew their applications if they desire to take the training in the second camp. Previous certifications will have no weight in the selection of men for the second camp.

Examination of applicants will not be made until after July 15 when regular army officers will visit convenient places and order the applicants before them for the examination.

Members of the second camp will be paid $100 a month, transportation from point of certification and subsistence. They must agree, however, to accept commissions as officers at any time the Secretary of War deems it advisable to issue them.

A mass meeting of loyal Gallatin boosters responded to an invitation of the mayor to consider ways and means of providing seed and help for the farmers in the flood district of that county who will have to replant their corn. It is needless to say that ways and means were amply provided by these patriotic men.

Train Service Resumed.

Train service on the Wabash will be entirely resumed today. No. 12 to St. Louis left this morning, but possibly No. 14, which is due to arrive this evening, will not be run.

DONT'S FOR THE WAR

Dr. Preston Slosson of Columbia University Has Advice for Americans in Crisis.

New York, June 13.—Dr. Preston W. Slosson, of the history department of Columbia University, has drawn up a list of "Dont's on the War." Some of them are:

"Don't say 'My country right or wrong.' We aren't wrong.

"Don't call national necessity and international justice by any name as vague as 'national honor.'

"Don't say 'Wall Street,' or 'British gold,' or the 'Northcliffe press' made this war. You don't have to bribe a nation to make it resent the murder of its citizens.

"Don't call every pro-ally 'pro-British.' Great Britain is only one of a dozen or so of the Allies.

"Don't say that both sides think they are fighting a defensive war. A man may honestly think that two and six are eleven, but it doesn't make them so.

"Don't call universal training 'Prussian militarism.' It is no more Prussian than it is Swiss, French, British, Argentine, Japanese or Australian.

"Don't say that we owe aid to France on account of Lafayette. We didn't help France in 1870, and we were right not to do so. We only owe aid to any nation when it is fighting (as at present), in a righteous quarrel.

"Don't say that 'it doesn't make any difference to the workingman what country governs him.' On the contrary, it makes more difference to him than to any one else, because the rich man can spend his time in travel or buy his way into the privileged class if he finds political conditions oppressive."

Rev. John Here.

Rev. C. H. John arrived this morning from Siloam Springs, Ark., to spend some time as the guest of friends.

In Spite of Them

SUCCESS is not a fair weather proposition. A man succeeds, not because there are no difficulties to overcome, but in spite of them.

Expect them, don't let them take you by surprise.

An account with this bank, will place you in a position to overcome many obstacles, and to take advantage of new opportunities, that may come to you, because of your connection with this bank.

Farmers Trust Co.

Capital - $200,000.00

Sporting Goods

BASEBALL—TENNIS

The two great American games—Both are health giving—Both are physical developers and for the lover of out-door sports there is nothing more enjoyable.

We have complete lines in both Tennis and Baseball goods. We guarantee the goods we sell and they are priced reasonable. Come here for anything you want in these goods.

Kuchs Brothers

In the Home——

The modern home, no less than the business office should have an Electric Fan. Without one, real comfort is impossible during the summer months. The residence type

Emerson Fans

are ideal for living room, dining room, and bed rooms and can be attached wherever there is an electric light.

Cost But a Few Cents For This Comfort. No home complete without one.

The EMERSON FANS are the only fans with a 5 year factory guarantee. Call at our display room, where we will be pleased to show various types and sizes.

Maryville Electric Light & Power Co.

Empire Bldg., Maryville, Mo.
Phone 21.

GRAVY SAVES WASTE FATS.

Lack of Fats One of Most Serious of the Food Shortages.

Reports from Germany indicate that the lack of fats constitutes one of the most serious food shortages. Fats in this country are becoming scarce and Dr. Louise Stanley of the Missouri College of Agriculture has suggested that precautions be taken to conserve the remaining supply. The housewife's troubles will be amply repaid, because fats of all kinds are high, and if she can save those which have been wasted heretofore she will reduce the living expenses of the household and at the same time contribute to the country's food supply.

Miss Stanley suggests gravy as a means of utilizing fats that are ordinarily wasted. Gravy saves fat in two ways. In the first place it enables one to use the fat that is left in a vessel after meat is cooked. In case there is too much for gravy at one time, the clear upper portion can be poured off and saved for other use.

Gravy saves fat indirectly since it diminishes the amount of butter used. It also offers a means of spreading the flavor of the meat thereby reducing the amount of meat used. Housewives who make gravy, frequently notice a decrease in the meat and butter bills.

Gravy that is left over should be saved for meatless meals and meatless days. It may also be used with left-over meals, to flavor vegetables, to add to soups, or in various other ways.

"The Pretenders" at Empire.

The offering at the Empire tonight will be "The Pretenders," in five parts, with Emmy Wehlen and Paul Gordon as stars. This is a splendid picture and has a good plot as well as a capable cast.

Returns to Bosworth.

Mrs. W. S. Windsor, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Ruby, left this morning with her daughter for their home in Bosworth, Mo.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD
Hanamo phone 42, Farmers phone 114

Dinner Guest at Baker's.

Dr. J. W. Dean was a dinner guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Baker.

Bridge Club at Miss Sturm's.

The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club met yesterday afternoon with Miss Clara Sturm on South Main street. Only one guest, Mrs. H. E. Husted, was present. Mrs. Ben Chandler won the game prize and Mrs. Husted won the guest prize.

Entertains Wesleyan Class.

Miss Jessie Briggs, assisted by Miss Cora Gehr, entertained the members of the Wesleyan class of the First Methodist church last night at the Briggs home on South Walnut street. A short business session was held which was followed by a social hour. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present at the meeting were: Mrs. Elizabeth French, teacher of the class, Mrs. Blanche Lawler, Mrs. Orville Bennett, Mrs. Chester Bennett, Mrs. Delbert Vert, Mrs. Marvin Curnutt, Misses Ruth Matter, Mae Howland, Emma Hull, Ada Gingrich, Lucile Airy and Dr. Jessie Clark. Three guests were present. They were: Miss Sophia Hull, Mayhew Saville and Mrs. Alice Gehr.

Mite Box Opening.

The annual mite box opening of the Woman's Home Missionary society and the Queen Esther circle of the First Methodist church was held at the home of Mrs. R. S. Braniger last night. Mrs. Braniger, patroness of the Queen Esther circle and Miss Ethel Embree, president of the Woman's Home Missionary society, were in charge of the program.

The members of the Queen Esther circle were dressed to represent the different peoples to whom the proceeds of the mite boxes go. Each one gave an account of the work among the Japanese, Chinese, Eskimos, Negroes, mountaineers, immigrants, and other peoples included among the charges of the church.

At the close of the program refreshments were served to about guests.

Mrs. Gray, Hostess.

Mrs. Orville Gray was hostess to the Bloomdale W. W. club Thursday, June 7. It being the semi-annual election the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. Walter Runnels; first vice-president, Mrs. Chris Moon; second vice-president, Mrs. Abe Byerrum; recording secretary, Mrs. Will Gorton; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Orville Gray. During the social hour Mrs. Gray was assisted by Mrs. Marion Gray and Miss Ola Gray. The following members answered the roll call: Mrs. John Stephens, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Chance Copeland, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Abe Byerrum, Mrs. Marion Gray, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Edward Harvey, Mrs. Will Gorton, Mrs. Chris Moon, Mrs. George Wray and Mrs. Orville Gray. Miss Ola Gray and little Miss Aldene Runnels were guests of the club.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Pleas Bolin of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood entertained last week in honor of her granddaughter, Elaine's birthday. The young lady being a visitor from Paradise, Kan. Besides a fine lunch the young folks most of them the grandchildren of Mrs. Bolin, played games and had a good time. The following grandchildren were there: Helen and Aileen Bolin, Edwin Bolin, Mildred, Laura Margaret and Harold Bolin, Lucile and John Bolin. Mrs. Bolin was assisted in entertaining by Miss Margaret Bolin.

Appoint Tay Day Workers.

The members of the D. A. R. will hold a sale of tags tomorrow, Thursday, June 14, the National Flag Day. The D. A. R.'s request every citizen and every business house in town to fly the American flag tomorrow. Those who have been appointed to sell the tags are as follows: Miss Mae Corwin, Mrs. H. A. Foster, Miss Frances Smith, Mrs. E. G. Orear, Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, Miss Orril Helwig, Mrs. Fred Harvey, Miss Helen Todd, Miss Lulu Todd, Miss Mary Wooldridge, Miss Mary Margaret Richey, Miss Julia Tate and Misses Winifred and Lillian Carpenter.

For Catherine Remus.

Mrs. C. F. Remus, assisted by Ruth Miller, Ora Mae Condon, Mabel Cook, Alice Peery, and Margaret and Frances Remus entertained a number of boys and girls this afternoon at her home on West Third street in honor of the eleventh birthday anniversary of Catherine Remus. Various games furnished amusement for the afternoon, after which refreshments were served to the following: Roberta Cook, Margaret Louise Hosmer, Louise Peery, Marie and Katheryn Chandler, Leota Clare Landfather, Katheryn Gray, Mary Curnutt, Virginia Curnutt, Doris Zahm, Edwina Forsyth, Leola Miller, Lula Mae Curfman, Lucile Gaugh, Winifred Baker, Dorothy Grundy, Eula Yowell and Lucile Lane of Maitland, the only out-of-town guest; Robert Arnett, Burdette Yeo, Townsend Godsey, Edward Tindall, Forrest Martin, Richard Baker, Clyde Gibson, Harold Miller, Donald Herndon, Francis Parle, John and Ralph Curfman, Floyd Cook, Billy Bailey, and William Gaugh.

Thomas-Billings Wedding.

About sixty-six friends and relatives of Miss Vernie I. Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas of Maryville witnessed her marriage to William Wyatt Billings of Liberty, Mo. The ceremony took place at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents on East Halsey street.

The parlors and dining room of the Thomas home were beautifully decorated in green and white, southern smilax, ferns and white swansonia being used. In one parlor was constructed an arch of smilax and swansonia banked with ferns.

The guests upon arriving were escorted to the dining room where punch was served. The dining table was centered with a huge bouquet of pink and white carnations.

At the appointed time, Miss Hilda Lahr, a close friend of the bride, began the wedding march and the bridal party came down the stairs. First came little Virginia Lucas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas, who acted the part of ring bearer. The little Miss was dressed in white trimmed in pink ribbons and carried the ring in a pink rose tied with white tulle.

Following the ring bearer came the bride and bridegroom, who approached the arch, underneath which the Rev. C. Emerson Miller, pastor of the First Christian church was waiting to perform the ceremony.

The bride was charming in a handsome robe of white crepe de chine, trimmed with lace, and her long veil was caught to her hair with lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

The single ring service was performed by Rev. Mr. Miller, Miss Lahr playing several selections during the ceremony.

After the service, the guests were served light refreshments in pink and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Billings left on the afternoon train for Chicago, where they will live for the next two years, while Mr. Billings is finishing his medical course. Mrs. Billings was dressed in a gray traveling suit with shoes and gloves to match and wore a white hat.

The couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts from friends and relatives all over the country. The guest list for the wedding included many who had known the bride since her childhood.

The out-of-town guests invited

(Continued on page 4.)

DODGE BROTHERS MOTOR CAR

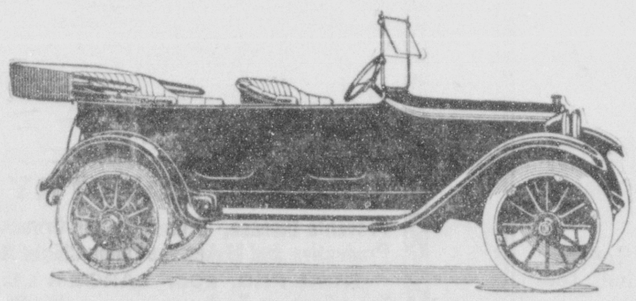
Were they so disposed, Dodge Brothers could not lower the quality of this car.

They are no longer free agents, because public opinion has established a standard for everything bearing their name.

They dare not fall below the high estimate that has been formed of them as motor car manufacturers.

It will Pay You to Visit Us and Examine This Car.

The gasoline Consumption is Unusually Low.
The Tire Mileage Is Unusually High.
Touring Car or Roadster, $835; Winter Touring Car or Roadster, $1,000
Sedan or Coupe, $1,265.
(All prices f. o. b. Detroit).



Walter N. Wray
Dealer in Dodge Bros. Cars.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

June Sales

White Goods Bargains

HERE are some of the greatest values yet offered. Beautiful quality of Muslin Underwear, Dainty Lace Flouncing and allover, Embroidery Flouncing and Allover. In these special lots are laces and embroideries suitable for dresses, waists and under-garments. Even though you are not in need of these at present the saving they represent cannot help but appeal to your spirit of economy.

Here are a few of the lots of special interest —others are here to select from.

TABLE NO. 1.
Large assortment of allover laces and embroidery and 24, 27, 36 and 45 inch Crepe Voile Embroidery Flouncing, wide variety of beautiful designs, unusual bargains. June Sale Special, the yard $1.00

TABLE NO. 2.
Assorted lot of 18 inch allover lace, embroidery and lace flouncings and 27 inch allover embroidery, large variety of dainty patterns, June Sale Special, the yard...75c

TABLE NO 3.
One lot of embroidery flouncings, 45 inches wide and allover embroidery 27 inches wide, large assortment of patterns, June Sale Special, the yard 50c

TABLE NO. 5.
Muslin Gowns, Teddy Suits, Skirts, Corset Covers and Drawers, white and flesh color, lace and embroidery trimmed. Some silk Crepe Camisoles in the lot. June Sale Special, each.....69c

TABLE NO. 4.
Assorted lot of 27 inch embroidery flouncing and 18 inch allover embroidery, various designs, June Sale Bargain, the yard 39c

TABLE NO. 6.
One lot of Muslin and Nainsook Gowns Combination Suits and Corset Covers, fancy lace and embroidery effects, white and flesh, June Sale Special, each $1.00

TABLE NO. 7.
Gowns, Combination Suits and Skirts, Muslin and Nainsook, Embroidery effects, and dainty lace trimmed, beautiful quality, June Sale Special, each $1.79

TABLE NO. 9.
One lot of Embroidery Edges and Insertions, various designs in organdy and muslin, widths up to 18 inches, June Sale Special, the yd 19c

TABLE NO. 8.
Assorted lot of White Goods, Embroidered Swiss, Voile, Organdy and lace cloth, 36 inches wide. June Sale Special, the yard.....59c

TABLE NO. 10.
Assorted lot of Embroidery Insertion and edges, assorted patterns, widths to 8 inches, special, at the yard 9c

Many other bargains on display in the various departments

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

HAVE money to loan. Chas. Hyslop. 25tf

FOUND—Iowa license tag, 204208. Inquire this office. 13-15

L. CARR at Glover & Alexander's Feed Mill is still buying iron and junk at the highest prices. Call and find out. 12-16*

LOST—Child's gold bracelet, initial "M;" child's black velvet coat, Sunday. Notify Democrat-Forum or George Fred Davis, Han. 30 XY 12-14

LAWN mowers sharpened and adjusted at Ryan's blacksmith shop. 8-14*

LOST—White prayer book belonging to Pauline Mahoney, between First and Main and Mitchell Ray residence. Return here. 13-15*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Registered 2-year-old Angus bull, smooth and beefy, fine disposition and good sire. Elmer Fraser. 23tf

FOR SALE—A Jersey heifer calf, 2 months old. Call Hanamo 5237, or 420 West 12th St. 13-15

FOR SALE—No. 1 A folding Eastman kodak, used very little, good as new. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 11-16*

FOR SALE—Good work horse, 2 cows, one with calf by side; brood sow, shoat, hay frame, 160-egg Old Trusty incubator. 1109 East First St 11-13*

FOR SALE—Good cement block machine and outfit. Cause of selling have no time to work at it. See me at Lippman's new warehouse or call Han. 521. Cheap if sold at once Frank Reynolds. 11-16

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room near Normal to young man or man and wife. 613 West Second. Farmers phone 219-11.

WANTED

WANTED—Lady help for kitchen work. Edwards Cafe. 11-13*

WANTED—Young man to work nights and Sundays. Maryville Tire and Rubber Co. 12-14

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* DRS. JESSIE G. CLARK *
* and EULA C. GODBY, *
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* and 2 to 5 p. m. Both Phones *
* Evenings by Appointment *
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Ulmer Child Dies.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Ulmer of Maryville died today at the St. Francis hospital. Funeral services were held this afternoon and burial was in the Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Price and daughter, Mabel Marie, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Price of Clearmont.

Theodore Logan of Parnell sold his interest in the Harman and Logan garage to Charles Harman, Tuesday. It will in the future be known as the Harman garage.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

C. C. Corwin, Fred Wolfers and Philip Colbert went to Clearmont yesterday on business.

BIG G A remedy for infections of the urinary tract. Painless, non-poisonous and will not stricture. Relieves in 1 to 5 days. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS. Parcel Post if desired—Price $1, or 3 bottles $2.75. Prepared by THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI, O.

HOW SHALL WE PAY FOR THE WAR?

A Constructive Criticism on the House Revenue Bill.

LOANS BETTER THAN TAXES

Five Reasons Why Excessive Taxes at the Outset of War Are Disadvantageous—Great Britain Example Worthy of Emulation—How the Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

By EDWIN R. A. SELIGMAN,
McVickar Professor of Political Economy, Columbia University.

On May 23, 1917, the House of Representatives passed an act "to provide revenue to defray war expenses and for other purposes." In the original bill as presented by the Committee of Ways and Means, the additional revenue to be derived was estimated at $1,810,420,000. The amendment to the income tax, which was tacked on to the bill during the discussion in the House, was expected to yield another $40,000,000 or $50,000,000.

In discussing the House bill, two problems arise:

I. How much should be raised by taxation?

II. In what manner should this sum be raised?

I. How Much Should Be Raised by Taxation?

How was the figure of $1,800,000,000 arrived at? The answer is simple. When the Secretary of the Treasury came to estimate the additional war expenses for the year 1917-18, he calculated that they would amount to some $6,000,000,000, of which $3,000,000,000 was to be allotted to the allies, and $3,000,000,000 was to be utilized for the domestic purposes. Thinking that it would be a fair proposition to divide this latter sum between loans and taxes, he concluded that the amount to be raised by taxes was $1,800,000,000.

There are two extreme theories, each of which may be dismissed with scant courtesy. The one is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by loans, and the other is that all war expenditures should be defrayed by taxes. Each theory is untenable.

It is indeed true that the burdens of the war should be borne by the present rather than the future generation; but this does not mean that they should be borne by this year's taxation.

Meeting all war expenses by taxation makes the taxpayers in one or two years bear the burden of benefits that ought to be distributed at least over a decade within the same generation.

In the second place, when expenditures approach the gigantic sums of present-day warfare, the tax-only policy would require more than the total surplus of social income. Were this absolutely necessary, the ensuing havoc in the economic life of the community would have to be endured. But where the disasters are so great and at the same time so unnecessary, the tax-only policy may be declared impracticable.

Secretary McAdoo had the right instinct and highly commendable courage in deciding that a substantial portion, at least, of the revenues should be derived from taxation. But when he hit upon the plan of 50-50 per cent., that is, of raising one-half of all domestic war expenditures by taxes, the question arises whether he did not go too far.

The relative proportion of loans to taxes is after all a purely business proposition. Not to rely to a large extent on loans at the outset of a war is a mistake.

Disadvantages of Excessive Taxes.

The disadvantages of excessive taxes at the outset of the war are as follows:

1. Excessive taxes on consumption will cause popular resentment.

2. Excessive taxes on industry will disarrange business, damp enthusiasm and restrict the spirit of enterprise at the very time when the opposite is needed.

3. Excessive taxes on incomes will deplete the surplus available for investments and interfere with the placing of the enormous loans which will be necessary in any event.

4. Excessive taxes on wealth will cause a serious diminution of the incomes which are at present largely drawn upon for the support of educational and philanthropic enterprises. Moreover, these sources of support would be dried up precisely at the time when the need would be greatest.

5. Excessive taxation at the outset of the war will reduce the elasticity available for the increasing demands that are soon to come.

Great Britain's Policy.

Take Great Britain as an example. During the first year of the war she increased taxes only slightly, in order to keep industries going at top notch. During the second year she raised by new taxes only 9 per cent. of her war expenditures. During the third year she levied by additional taxes (over and above the pre-war level) only slightly more than 17 per cent. of her war expensos.

If we should attempt to do as much in the first year of the war as Great Britain did in the third year it would suffice to raise by taxation $1,250,000,000. If, in order to be absolutely on the safe side, it seemed advisable to increase the sum to $1,500,000,000, this should, in our opinion, be the maximum.

In considering the apportionment of the extraordinary burden of taxes in war times certain scientific principles are definitely established:

How Taxes Should Be Apportioned.

(1) The burden of taxes must be spread as far as possible over the whole community so as to cause each individual to share in the sacrifices according to his ability to pay and according to his share in the Government.

(2) Taxes on consumption, which are necessarily borne by the community at large, should be imposed as far as possible on articles of quasi-luxury rather than on those of necessity.

(3) Excises should be imposed as far as possible upon commodities in the hands of the final consumer rather than upon the articles which serve primarily as raw material for further production.

(4) Taxes upon business should be imposed as far as possible upon net earnings rather than upon gross receipts or capital invested.

(5) Taxes upon income which will necessarily be severe should be both differentiated and graduated. That is, there should be a distinction between earned and unearned incomes and there should be a higher rate upon the larger incomes. It is essential, however, not to make the income rate so excessive as to lead to evasion, administrative difficulties, or to the more fundamental objections which have been urged above.

(6) The excess profits which are due to the war constitute the most obvious and reasonable source of revenue during war times. But the principle upon which these war-profit taxes are laid must be equitable in theory and easily calculable in practice.

The Proposed Income Tax.

The additional income tax as passed by the House runs up to a rate of 60 per cent. This is a sum unheard of in the history of civilized society. It must be remembered that it was only after the first year of the war that Great Britain increased her income tax to the maximum of 34 per cent., and that even now in the fourth year of the war the income tax does not exceed 42½ per cent.

It could easily be shown that a tax with rates on moderate incomes substantially less than in Great Britain, and on the larger incomes about as high, would yield only slightly less than the $532,000,000 originally estimated in the House bill.

It is to be hoped that the Senate will reduce the total rate on the highest incomes to 34 per cent, or at most to 40 per cent, and that at the same time it will reduce the rate on the smaller incomes derived from personal or professional earnings.

If the war continues we shall have to depend more and more upon the income tax. By imposing excessive rates now we are not only endangering the future, but are inviting all manner of difficulties which even Great Britain has been able to escape.

Conclusion.

The House bill contains other fundamental defects which may be summed up as follows:

(1) It pursues an erroneous principle in imposing retroactive taxes.

(2) It selects an unjust and unworkable criterion for the excess-profits tax.

(3) It proceeds to an unheard-of height in the income tax.

(4) It imposes unwarranted burdens upon the consumption of the community.

(5) It is calculated to throw business into confusion by levying taxes on gross receipts instead of upon commodities.

(6) It fails to make a proper use of stamp taxes.

(7) It follows an unscientific system in its flat rate on imports.

(8) It includes a multiplicity of petty and unlucrative taxes, the vexatiousness of which is out of all proportion to the revenue they produce.

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The fundamental lines on which the House bill should be modified are summed up herewith:

(1) The amount of new taxation should be limited to $1,250,000,000—or at the outset to $1,500,000,000. To do more than this would be as unwise as it is unnecessary. To do even this would be to do more than has ever been done by any civilized Government in time of stress.

(2) The excess-profits tax based upon a sound system ought to yield about $500,000,000.

(3) The income-tax schedule ought to be revised with a lowering of the rates on earned incomes below $10,000, and with an analogous lowering of the rates on the higher incomes, so as not to exceed 34 per cent. A careful calculation shows that an income tax of this kind would yield some $450,000,000 additional.

(4) The tax on whisky and tobacco ought to remain approximately as it is, with a yield of about $230,000,000.

These three taxes, together with the stamp tax at even the low rate of the House bill, and with an improved automobile tax, will yield over $1,250,000,000, which is the amount of money thought desirable.

The above program would be in harmony with an approved scientific system. It will do away with almost all of the complaints that are being urged against the present. It will refrain from taxing the consumption of the poor.

It will throw a far heavier burden upon the rich, but will not go to the extremes of confiscation. It will obviate interference with business and will keep unimpaired the social productivity of the community.

It will establish a just balance between loans and taxes and will not succumb to the danger of approaching either the tax-only policy or the loan-only policy. Above all, it will keep an undisturbed elastic margin, which must be more and more heavily drawn upon as the war proceeds.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, June 13.— WHEAT — July, $2.34¾; Sept., $2.06.

CORN—July, $1.55¾; Sept., $1.46¼.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000; steers, $10.00@$13.40; cows, $6.13.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; top, $15.70; bulk, $14.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 5,000; market, strong.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 13.—CATTLE— Receipts, 18,000; market, weak.

HOGS—Receipts, 20,000; market, strong; top, $15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 9,000; market, strong.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100; market, strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,200; market, strong; top, $15.65.

SHEEP—Receipts, 300; market, strong.

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Roosters, per lb	10

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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were: Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Billings and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Billings of Liberty, Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Billings, of Topeka, Kan., Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Billings of Hume, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Billings of Tulsa, Okla., Dr. J. H. Billings of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Benningfield of St. Joseph, Miss Amanda Hood of Seward, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas of Salina, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jordan of Hydro, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Omer Strong of Pickering, and Miss Bonnie Jordan of Parnell.

Rebekah Meeting.

The Rebekah Lodge will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall. A large attendance is desired.

St. Patrick's Market.

The women of the St. Patrick's church will hold a market on Saturday, June 16, at the Montgomery shoe store. Everybody invited.

S. S. Class Entertain.

The Sunday school class of the First Methodist church taught by Prof. Bert Cooper entertained last night in honor of the class taught by Mrs. O. C. Hanna at her home on North Main street. Dominoes were played during the evening and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Misses Josephine Wilderman and Greta Kemp, and Emmett Bartram.

Hold Stunt and Social.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church held a social and stunt last night at the church parlors. Various side shows furnished amusement for the guests. The Sun Moon and Star Theatre, presented Mary Pickford, Charley Chaplin and Colonel Gray's famous "One Man's Regiment," were main attractions during the evening. Smithsonian's museum which showed the World's Seven Great Attractions also proved a great success. Refreshments of ice cream, strawberries and wafers were served. On account of the threatening weather only a small crowd attended the social.

Miss Nellie Beardsley Weds.

At noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Beardsley at Parnell, gave their daughter, Nellie Irene, in marriage to Harry H. Hazzard of Winner, S. D. The impressive ring ceremony was read by the Rev. R. M. Wetzel.

Miss Esther Beardsley, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Roman Erdmann of Rochester, Minn., was best man. Mrs. W. T. Lewis of Union Star played Lohengrin's wedding march.

The bride was daintily gowned in white embroidered net with the slippers and gloves to match. A pink and white color scheme was appropriately used to decorate the house.

The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Beardsley. After completing her education she taught school for a number of years. The last four years she taught in Ideal, S. D., where she met Mr. Hazzard. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hazzard of Wilmington, Ill., and is a graduate of a Chicago High school. He is engaged in farming near Ideal, S. D.

Only a few of the immediate friends and relatives were present. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hooker and daughter, Halcyon, of Maryville, Miss Grace Beardsley of Waterford, Wis., Roman Erdman of Rochester, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lewis of Union Star, Miss Gertrude Spire of Parnell, Miss Myrtle Jasper and Mr. and Mrs. Loster Jasper of Ravenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazzard left last night for a trip through the Rocky mountains and other points of interest in the West. After July 1 they will be at home to their friends at their farm near Ideal, S. D.

Mrs. Peter Lahr of Iowa, is visiting friends in Maryville.

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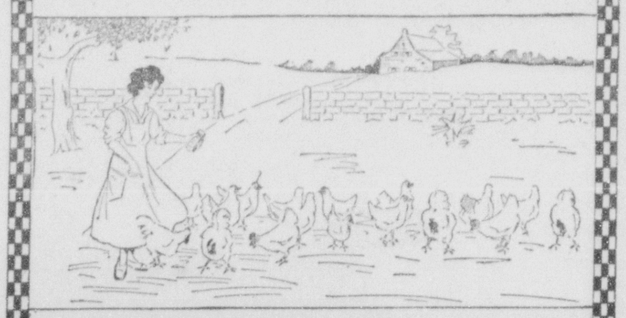

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